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THE ANTI-GRANT CONFERENCE IN NEW YORK CITY.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, June 20.—In pursuance of the call signed by Carl Schurz, Jacob D. Cox, William Cullen Bryant, Oswald Ottendorf, David A. Wells, and Jacob Brinkerhoff, a conference of gentlemen who, in the language of the call, "are opposed to the present administration and its continuance in office, and deem it necessary that all elements of the opposition should be united for a common effort in the coming Presidential election," was held at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, this afternoon and evening. Of the prominent persons invited, more than one hundred were in attendance, representing all sections of the country. Among those present were Carl Schurz, of Virginia; Carl Schurz and Trumbull; Governor Randolph, of New Jersey; Judge Brinkerhoff, David A. Wells, ex-Governor Solomon, General Sickles, of New York; Mr. Bryant, Judge Campbell, of North Carolina; Oswald Ottendorfer, Mr. Daenzer, of the *Anzeiger des Westens*; Parke Godwin, General John A. Dix; John Forsythe, of the Mobile *Register*; Mr. R. H. Baldwin, of Virginia; Bradley T. Johnson, of Virginia; Samuel Johnson, of Virginia; J. H. Bromley, of Hartford, Conn.; Thos. F. Grand, St. Louis, Mo.; Gen. F. Barnes, Augusta, Me.; Isaac Bates, Worcester, N. Y.; General H. T. Reid, Kentucky, Iowa; L. Hammond, Philadelphia; A. Emmings, Philadelphia; Henry A. Barnes, Cincinnati; Moses Sumner, Thomas Downe, New Jersey; Jas. L. Fiske, Montana; John Seime, Philadelphia; John Mullaly, the Hon. Homer A. Nelson, and Andrew H. Green; the Rev. Dr. Goodloe, North Carolina; H. D. Lowrey, of Pennsylvania; Carl Daenzer, editor of the St. Louis *Anzeiger des Westens*; Governor Walker, of Virginia; Julius Rohe, editor of the *Volksfreund*, Cincinnati; Judge J. B. Stallo, Cincinnati; Judge Oliver, of Cincinnati; Fitz Henry Warren, of Iowa; Julius Dexter, of Ohio; Judge Spencer, of Syracuse; John B. Grinnell, of Iowa; Senator Stockton, of New Jersey; General Jno. S. Marmaduke, of St. Louis, and many other well-known persons whose names have been given before.

Senator Schurz was in constant demand at the Fifth Avenue Hotel this morning, but all attempts to see him signally failed, except in a few favored instances. The Senator was busily engaged in getting his family off for Europe. Delegations in the meantime paraded about in a boisterous way, conversation was most indulged among themselves, and full of their subject, but each one a sphinx to the outside world.

At the Fifth Avenue Hotel to-day, at 1 p. m., nothing very unusual was observable. There were only a few loungers in the entrance hall, and but for the appearance of three or four officers, one would have supposed anything beyond the usual daily routine in the hotel was about to take place. About o'clock p.m. the excitement near the Committee rooms began to increase, and gentlemen who had been invited to attend the Conference arrived rapidly at the hotel and kept the waiters busy showing them to the rooms. No. 32 was, at the hour, strictly guarded by policemen in small squads, and no one was admitted unless provided with the requisite credentials. Beyond the door of No. 32, at the end of the corridor, is a small dining room, in which the conferees were had. The dining tables had been removed. A large round table was placed on the right of entrance for the President, and about 150 seats were ranged on the floor. From 2 to 3 o'clock gentlemen dropped into the room after passing the orders of the Committee, and at 3 o'clock or a few minutes afterward, William Cullen Bryant, Ostendorfer, Purdy, and Carl Schurz, Marshall, entered the room, followed by about sixty or seventy gentlemen; the entire number present probably not exceeding 120. The doors were then closed, and no one was allowed to lounge near them, so that there was no probability of hearing what took place in the room. The utmost vigilance was taken to guard against reporters. The Conference session met merely to organize. Mr. Bryant was spoken of for the Presidency of the body, but declined. Jacob D. Cox was chosen President, Mr. Bryant and General Dix, Vice-Presidents, and Henry D. Lloyd, Secretary. At 5 o'clock, the conference adjourned until 7 o'clock this evening.

LATER.

NEW YORK, June 20.—The Conference at Fifth avenue continues in session at 1:30 this morning. Its tone is decidedly in favor of Greeley, but no conclusions have yet been arrived at. Senator Trumbull made a speech for Greeley declaring a third ticket at Baltimore would elect Grant, if Greeley and Brown co be united on the ticket will sweep the country like a whirlwind. At the suggestion of Senator Schurz, it was resolved that each State have a spokesman, and that speeches be limited to five minutes each. David A. Wells expressed some objection to Greeley, but preferred him to Grant. Forsyth, of Alabama; Foster, of Connecticut; Hilliard, of Georgia, and several others, spoke in favor of Greeley. Horace White preferred Trumbull, but now would go for Greeley. Henry Waterson, of Louisville, said all roads away from Greeley lead to Grant, and Greeley is a necessity. Edward Atkinson, of Boston, would favor any Free Trade ticket, and cannot support Greeley. Judge Stallo, of Cincinnati, and Parke Godwin, of the New York *Post*, occupied the same ground, and will support a straight-out Democratic nomination at Baltimore if the platform has a Free Trade plank. At last accounts from the hotel, Carl Schurz was delivering a big speech in favor of Greeley and Brown, amid applause plainly showing the enthusiasm of the large majority of the conference.

[To the Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, June 20.—The Fifth Avenue Hotel conference met at 3 p. m. The following delegates were present: Senators Schurz and Trumbull; General Cox, of Ohio; General B. H. Hill, and J. C. Hilliger, of Georgia; J. H. Bromley, of the Hartford *Post*; Horace White, of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE; ex-Governor Randolph, of New Jersey; J. B. Grinnell, of Iowa; Edward Atkinson, of Massachusetts; David A. Wells, Wm. Cullen Bryant; Waterson, of the Louisville *Courier Journal*; Hiram Barney, of New York; Senator Rice, of Arkansas; Wm. M. Grosvenor; Theodore Tilton, of the *Golden Age*, an outside delegate; Governor Walker, of Virginia, and Senator Stockton, of New Jersey.

General Cox was called to the Chair, and stated the object of the Conference to be a union of elements opposed to Grant.

Senator Trumbull then rose. He said, while not fully indorsing the nominations of the Cincinnati Convention, they (the Liberal Republicans) had gone so far that a retreat was impossible. If a man of acknowledged reputation could be brought into the field he (Trumbull) would support him; but, under the existing state of affairs, he saw no option but to support Greeley.

Brief remarks were made by several others, and the Conference adjourned at 6 o'clock, to meet again in the evening.

At the evening meeting of the Conference Carl Schurz proposed that there should be a call by States, to get an expression of sentiment, and that there should be one representative from each State. The first State called was Alabama, represented by Forsyth, who went for Greeley. Rice, of Arkansas, went for Greeley. The next State called was Connecticut, represented by Hon. David A. Wells, who said he had determined, under any circumstances, not to support Grant, and whether he supported Greeley or not depended very materially as to whether, in his opinion, Greeley was the most favorable candidate presented.

Ex-Governor English said that the Democratic party of Connecticut was all for Greeley. Henry W. Hilliyer, of Georgia, made a speech strongly in favor of Greeley.

Horace White said that both the Democratic and Republican parties had served their purposes, and that Greeley had best set into both.

General Fitz Henry Warren, of Iowa, said Grant had been in favor of Greeley, but if he should be nominated at Baltimore, he would carry his State for him.

Kentucky was next called, Henry Waterson, editor of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, being the speaker. He said that he spoke in behalf of the South, and in an earnest and hearty appeal implored a union on Greeley and Brown as the only means for the emancipation of the South. He represented Kentucky to be almost a unit in favor of the nominees of the Cincinnatti Convention. His speech was conceded to be one of the most effective and determined efforts of the session.

Mr. Atkinson said he was for free trade, regardless of Greeley or Grant.

On the part of New York, Parke Godwin made a speech, in which he strongly denounced the idea of supporting Greeley under any circumstances.

Judge Narr, of New Jersey, and Judge Brinkerhoff, of Ohio, made strong speeches for Greeley and against the bolters from the Cincinnati nominees.

Shortly after 1 this morning the Conference adjourned *sine die*.

Schurz made the chief speech of the evening. He said he must support Greeley from necessity.

LIBERAL REPUBLICAN CONVENTION AT WATSEKA, IROQUOIS COUNTY.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WATSEKA, Ill., June 20.—The first Liberal Republican Convention in Iroquois County was held to-day. It was well attended, notwithstanding the busy season among farmers, and the character of the delegates present must forever set a rest in this quarter the senseless cry of sorehead. Asa B. Raff, Esq., of this city, one of the oldest, staunchest, and most influential Republicans in this county, was made Chairman, and D. W. Graves, Esq., of Sheldon Township, chosen Secretary. The following delegates were selected to the State Convention at Springfield: A. S. Austin, Lodi; E. Grenard, A. R. Raff, Middleport; A. M. Gilfelt, A. M. Belmont, E. Doolittle Onarga; J. A. Merman, Onarga; D. W. Ayers, Sheldon, B. F. Master, Milford; J. W. Stearns, Mastertown; Joseph Hall, Artesia; George T. Bell, Ash Grove; Grocey, J. B. Harriman. Among the delegates present was Geo. B. Winter, of Orange, who is a native of Massachusetts, and attended the first Republican Convention ever held in that State. In some well-timed remarks he called attention to the fact that he is acting now with the same men he was then, what are the then opponents of the party, like Logan, Butler, and others, have possession of the machinery, and are running it in the interest of Grant and their relatives.

The best of feeling prevailed in the Convention, and splendid reports were given from the various towns.

After the Baltimore Convention there will be a regular stampede from Grant to Greeley. In 1867 Grant had 1,434 majority in the county, but it is now a matter of positive doubt whether he can carry it at all in 1872. The *Iroquois Times* is doing effective work for the cause.

HON. CASSIUS M. CLAY TO SPEAK AT SPRINGFIELD NEXT WEDNESDAY.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 20.—Governor Palmer received a letter from Hon. Cassius M. Clay to-day, of which the following is a copy:

WHITEHALL POST OFFICE, Ky., June 13, 1872.

DEAR SIR: I speak at Springfield, Ohio, the 25th inst. I shall, therefore, say that, with certainty, I will be with you on the 26th. Yours truly, (Signed) C. M. CLAY.

To Governor JOHN PALMER, Springfield, Ill.

Mr. Clay, during his stay in the city, will be the guest of Governor Palmer.

From present indications the Democratic Convention to be held in this city on the 26th inst. will be largely attended.

A Grant and Wilson Club will be organized here to-morrow night.

CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATIONS.

MORRIS, Ill., June 20.—The Republican Congressional Convention assembled here to-day, at 2 o'clock, in the Court House. Franklin M. Corwin, of LaSalle, was nominated for Congress by acclamation, and S. R. Dewey, of Grundy, for Member of the State Board of Equalization, also by acclamation. Brief Addresses were made by F. M. Corwin, Irus Coy, and Lucien Crooker. The proceedings were conducted with the utmost harmony.

CAMBRIDGE CITY, Ind., June 20.—At a meeting of the delegates of the Fourth Congressional Convention, held here to-day, Hon. David Gooding was nominated by acclamation for Congressman. The nomination of Greeley and Brown was heartily indorsed.

NEW JERSEY LIBERAL REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

NEWARK, N. J., June 20.—The New Jersey Liberal Republican State Convention met to-day. It was meagerly attended. James M. Scovell, General Kilpatrick, and others were present. H. W. Gale presided, with several Vice Presidents and Secretaries. Mr. Gale made an earnest speech on taking the chair. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the Cincinnati Platform and candidates, and asking the co-operation of other parties. A State Executive Committee was appointed.

Several counties were not represented.

NEBRASKA DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

OMAHA, June 20.—The Democratic State Convention met at Lincoln, Nebraska, to-day, for the purpose of selecting delegates for the Baltimore Convention. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the action of the Cincinnati Convention. Mr. Gaslin, in declining the delegation elected, G. L. Miller, Douglas County; W. A. Coleman, of Lancaster; Judge Thomas, Omaha; J. C. Crawford, of Elkhorn Valley; Dr. Black, of Cass; W. H. Ely, of Sarpy.

The delegates were instructed to act as a majority to represent the will of the Convention, which then adjourned.

MR. COLFAX DECLINES.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 20.—The name of Hon. Schuyler Colfax having been proposed recently for candidate for Congressman-at-Large, that gentleman publishes the following despatch in the *Journal* of this city:

SOUTH BEND, Ind., June 18.

To the Editor of the Journal:

While gratefully appreciating the political regard which has connected my name with the nomination for Congressman-at-Large, its acceptance, for many reasons, would be utterly impossible.

SCHUYLER COLFAX.

KENTUCKY DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 20.—The Democratic State Convention met at Frankfort to-day, and elected delegates to the Baltimore Convention.—all Greeley and Brown men—and appointed electors with similar feelings. The resolutions declare Grant and his Administration, reaffirm the Democratic platform of 1868, instruct the delegates to act in the Baltimore Convention so as to unite all elements in opposition to Grant's re-election.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY LIBERAL REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

PONTIAC, Ill., June 20.—The Liberal Republicans of Livingston County, met in Convention at Pontiac to-day. Dr. J. F. Farley, of Fairbury, was chosen Chairman, and the following persons were chosen delegates to the Liberal Republican State Convention, to be held at Springfield, June 26, 1872: S. H. Buncker, J. B. Blackburn, Charles Hinze, W. K. Prince, W. C. Baileigh, J. A. Gorbach, and Byron Phelps.

THE STRAIGHT-TICKET DEMOCRATS HOLD A MEETING IN NEW YORK.

LONG BRANCH, June 20.—A number of Democrats, representing the different States, met this noon, at the Metropolitan Hotel, in secret conference, and are still in session. The meeting is called for the purpose of securing a straight Democratic ticket at Baltimore.

LOUISIANA POLITICS.

NEW ORLEANS, June 20.—As Baton Rouge nothing was accomplished by either of the Conventions. The Pinchbackers seem anxious to compromise, but the Packardites are lukewarm, and will only fuse upon their own terms, having Packard Chairman of the State Central Committee.

MISCELLANEOUS.

GENEVA, Ill., June 20.—At the Republican town caucus here, yesterday, delegates favorable to Farnsworth, for Congress, were chosen to the County Convention.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 20.—The Democratic delegates of Connecticut to the Baltimore Convention met in this city to-day. Though pledged to no candidate, the unanimous expression of the delegates was in favor of Greeley and Brown.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Attorney General Williams comes back with the most astonishing accounts of the popularity of Grant in Oregon, which state is entitled to three votes in the Electoral College. He says Grant is so popular with the people that they receive his name with enthusiasm, and that he will carry that state like a whirlwind, because said he, "General Grant is stronger than the Republican party."

ST. LOUIS, June 20.—The Liberal Republican State Committee, at its meeting a few days ago, ordered that the Liberal Republican organization should be maintained throughout the State, and at once perfected in every county where not already complete. It is officially announced that reports are received, showing that a larger number of Liberal Republicans now support the Cincinnati ticket than supported the Liberal State ticket two years ago.

DETROIT, June 20.—The Democratic Convention to elect delegates to the State Convention in this county met at Dearborn to-day. A resolution denouncing Mr. Greeley was introduced, and a substitute pledging the support of the Democracy of this county to the nominees of the Baltimore Convention; but, after a hot discussion, the Convention adjourned, and passed neither of them.

WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

REBEL CLAIMS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 20.—The Second Comptroller of the Treasury has just made an important decision regarding claims of rebels existing before the war. The Quartermaster General transmitted to Comptroller Brodhead for his decision a claim from a pardoned rebel for military supplies furnished in 1860. It was claimed by the applicant that by the recent decisions of the Supreme Court, a pardon or amnesty reinstates a rebel claimant in his right to recover for property forfeited to or confiscated by the United States Government; that such an act of pardon is not merely prospective, not only restoring a man personally to future credit, but returning to him or reimbursing him for goods and credits heretofore forfeited or confiscated as property of a public enemy. The Comptroller was of opinion that such was not a fair deduction from the decisions of the Supreme Court, and remarked that he thought there were two existing grounds on which claims of this character must at present be rejected by accounting and disbursing officers. The first is the general principle, that money or credits which have reverted to the Treasury by force of law, international, martial, or statute, can not be withdrawn except by the action of Congress making an applicable appropriation. This is a Constitutional provision, Article 19, Section 6. The second is found in the joint resolution of Congress, of March, 1862, 14 Stat. 571, which has never been repealed or modified.

PERSONAL.

The Attorney General returned this morning from a two months' political tour on the Pacific coast, and General Belknap returned last night. Mr. Fish remained here after the Cabinet meeting on Tuesday, and Secretary Delano has been compelled to stay on account of the absence of the Assistant Secretary. All of the members of the Cabinet are, therefore, to the surprise of everybody here, except Boutwell and Robeson. Their stay, however, will be a brief one. Most of the members will leave here on Monday for the Boston Jubilee, at which time the President also starts from Long Branch. They will remain in Boston till after the Grand Balloon Ascension, the 26th, when the President will return to Long Branch and such as have no other place to go to will come back to Washington.

[To the Associated Press.]

RETURNED.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Attorney General Williams has returned.

APPOINTMENT.

The President has appointed ex-Congressman W. Clark, Postmaster, Galveston, Texas, *vice* McKee, suspended, under the tenure of office act.

POSTAL CARDS.

The Post Office Department is examining designs for the postal cards under the recently enacted law.

WHY HE WAS SUSPENDED.

Reasons for the suspension by the President, of Logan H. Roots, Marshal, of Western Arkansas, was that during one year he expended nearly $200,000 for costs in court, or more than double the entire appropriation for Courts in the State of New York.

CLAIM REJECTED.

Comptroller Brodhead has rejected the claim of a pardoned rebel for military supplies furnished in 1860, on the ground that it is expressly forbidden by act of Congress.

REPORTS OF AN INDIAN OUTBREAK.

A despatch from General Howard, dated Omaha, June 19, says there is a discredited report of an outbreak of the Sierra Blanc Indians. He has the principal Chiefs of these Indians with him, and his best advices from Major Dallas, commanding at Sierra Blanc, represented all quiet there.

EXTRADITION CASE.

NEW YORK, June 20.—Washington special says that the Department of Justice has, for some days past, been engaged in finding the whereabouts of a person alleged to have been abducted from Canada in violation of the Extradition Treaty, and on Saturday received information that he was in the custody of a United States Marshal in North Carolina. It now appears that Detective Hester had an extradition warrant for a man named Lewis, who was charged with a violation of the Ku-Klux act, but the Canadian officers delivered up Bratton, who is also charged with having committed murder in that State. Our Government will send him back to Canada without delay, and indemnify him for his false arrest.

THE TREATY.

Wednesday's Meeting of the Board of Arbitration—Favorable Results Anticipated.

NEW YORK, June 20.—A Geneva special says: "The result of Wednesday's sitting of the Board of Arbitration is of the most favorable character, and it is confidently believed that when the tribunal shall meet again, on the 26th instant, success will be assured. It is believed that considerable progress has been made in a solution of the question."

LONDON, June 20.—Special despatches from Geneva say that the Tribunal was in session an hour yesterday, and it is confidently said that the treaty will surely be saved although the court has adjourned until Wednesday next. It may, in certain eventualities, meet again by arrangement on Monday, the 24th inst. Count de Lafayette Corvo Solopis, Baron D'Itajuba and Jacob Staempfli desire time to consult with their respective Governments, as they themselves fear to assume the responsibility of rejecting or accepting the proposition of Great Britain for an adjournment for eight months, if the prospects for a satisfactory conclusion continue good, the American residents of Geneva will unite in a grand celebration on that day and the 4th of July. The American Commissioners will go to Paris and the English to London during the adjournment of the Tribunal in order to accelerate the progress of the negotiations between England and America. Count Sclopis and Farrer are the only persons connected with the Arbitration who will remain in Geneva.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The long despatches received from Geneva yesterday were deciphered at the Department of State this morning, but, owing to their imperfect transmission, the precise text has not yet been ascertained; therefore, some hours have to be repeated, and this necessarily causes much delay. It is known, however, that they give the present position of affairs, and ask for instructions on the points in controversy.

LONDON, June 20.—In the House of Commons, this evening, Disraeli announced, in reply to a question from Osborne, that in consequence of the continuance of negotiations in reference to the Alabama claims, he had concluded to postpone for the present his motion of inquiry into the relations between Great Britain and the United States.

Gladstone, in answer to inquiries by Walpole and Gregory, stated that the result of the labors of the Tribunal of Arbitration at Geneva would have no effect whatever on the questions of the Canadian loan or San Juan boundary.

NEW YORK, June 20.—A *World* special says that more has been accomplished at Geneva than is generally allowed in public. At the next meeting of the Arbitrators it will be announced that the question of indirect claims is settled. The Arbitrators will then proceed on the other points.

Stabbing Affray in Elgin.

ELGIN, Ill., June 20.—A serious stabbing affray occurred here yesterday between John Long and Martin Stohr, in which the latter was stabbed a good deal across the chest and bowels. During the day the men disputed about a whiskey bill owed to the latter. Stohr abused Long, when the latter drew a knife and cut him. Long was formerly a prosperous wagon-maker, but took to drink a few years since, and has got to be a low drunkard. This morning, it is thought Stohr would recover. Both are Germans.

A Murderess Hanged.

TORONTO, ONT., June 20.—Phœbe Campbell was hanged this morning for the murder of her husband. She met her fate with calmness and composure, evincing no emotion. She died without a struggle. Her paramour and supposed accomplice, Coyle, is in prison awaiting his trial. In her confession she accused him of committing the murder, but admitted that she was his accomplice.

NEW YORK.

Tilden Suddenly Withdraws His Suit Against General Butler.

Daily Review of the Leading Markets.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

BUTLER AHEAD.

NEW YORK, June 20.—General Butler achieved a triumph to-day in the favorable result of the law-suit against him for the alleged feathering of his nest, in seizing the steamer Nassau, while commanding at New Orleans, Henry A. Tilden being plaintiff. A large crowd occupied the United States Circuit Court room, this morning, to see and hear what Butler would have to say on the witness stand. In answer to the District Attorney, General Butler testified as follows: I saw Mr. Hunnewell on the 13th of September, 1862, in relation to the sale of the steamer Nassau for a gunboat. Being anxious to get off an expedition, and, time pressing, on Monday, I made a Board of Survey. The officers were Major Davis, of my staff, and McKean Buchanan, of the navy. The Board was appointed to appraise the value of the Nassau. That was done to protect myself, and it was the usual course when officers were not especially authorized to make purchases. The papers made out by such a Board are given to the purchasing officer for his protection, but in the case of the Nassau there was no special necessity for that Board. Received my instructions and went on their business on Monday. I believe I was out of my office on the following day, but on Wednesday the Board met at my office, and reported that they had examined the Nassau, and that, although she was not exactly suitable, she would do. The Board fixed the value of the vessel at $38,000. I sent an Orderly for Mr. Hunnewell and he came to my office. When he came in I said to Mr. Hunnewell, "I have appointed a Board to fix the price of your vessel, and I want it now." There was a stranger there at the time, I think it was Mr. Buell. I then said to Mr. H., "Have you a title to the vessel." He replied that there would be no difficulty about the title. I told him that my Board of Survey had fixed the value of the steamer at $38,000. Mr. Buell and Mr. Hunnewell said the sum was too small. I told them I could not pay him for the vessel in greenbacks, but that he might get the cash in New York. I also said that I had the power to take her, and that I had some funds which I would use to pay him; that I had bills on the Citizens' Bank of New Orleans, which I thought was a sound bank, and that I would give him that money. I also told him that there would be 13 per cent discount to make the bills equal to greenbacks. When I said this, Mr. Buell or Mr. Hunnewell remarked that he thought it would be the best thing he could do under the circumstances. I told Mr. Hunnewell he had better go to the Custom House and perfect his title. At that time had two flags-of-truce-boats out. They were out to have conference with General Jeff. Thompson and Taylor in relation to the proposition to hang rebels in case our scouts should be seized and be shot. After that, I went for Mr. Hunnewell, and I think he came with a lawyer named Hunt. I said to Mr. Hunnewell, "Have you perfected your title." He said he had. I then sent an Orderly to Mr. Constanley, of the Custom House, to come to my office, and he did. I asked Mr. Constanley if the title of the Nassau had been perfected. I asked all the parties present to witness the sale, and I drew a check out of my pocket for the amount. Subsequently a large force of men were engaged in altering the vessel, but she was found to be so rotten in her timbers that I concluded to abandon her. I sent again for Mr. Hunnewell, and told him I was ready to give him back the steamer Nassau if he paid me what she cost and the amount expended on her for repairs; but he said he had invested all the money I had given him in tobacco and sugar. Mr. Griffin bought the Nassau on the terms on which she was offered to Hunnewell." Witness did not know that his brother, Andrew J., became interested in the Nassau with Griffin until the fact came out in the testimony on the present trial. His brother died insolvent. The testimony of Weigel, in relation to Andrew J. having secret conferences with witness, at which army officers were excluded, was unqualifiedly false. General Butler then read the correspondence between himself and Weigel, in which the latter threatened General Butler that he would get even with him. General Butler also said Weigel was the author of the stories published about him in relation to stealing spoons, wearing armour in New Orleans, and of other malignant reports. Judge Porter then arose and said that he had conferred with his associate counsel and with the plaintiff, and they unanimously resolved to proceed no further in the case, in view of the developments made by the testimony for the defence, which was conclusive in their minds that General Butler had acted solely in the interests of the Government, and for a praiseworthy object. Counsel for plaintiff had been misled by their own witnesses and deemed it no more than an act of justice that the proceedings should be dismissed. The trial was discontinued amid applause. General Butler was immediately surrounded by his friends, he being visibly affected by the demonstrations.

THE STOCK MARKET

opened dull and firm. Erie was feverish, fluctuating from 55@55 1-8. The attendance at the Exchange was smaller this afternoon than on any day this season. The market at 3:15 p. m., was dull, and a fraction lower, and closed heavy, with Erie at 53 7-8 a 55.

THE MONEY MARKET

ranged from 4 to 6 per cent, and closed with a firmer feeling.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

weak in the morning, but firmer in the afternoon.

GOLD

closed quiet and steady at 113 1-4 to 113 5-8, with the last sales at 113 1-3.

GOVERNMENT BONDS

lower on the noon call, but closed steady. Central Pacific bonds closed at 104 7-8@105; Missouri Pacific firsts, 93 1-2@93 3-4; land grants, 81 1-4@81 1-2; incomes, 86 5-8@89 7-8.

BREADSTUFFS.

Flour fairly active. Fresh ground firm; autumn ground dull and rather easier. Choice family extras well held. Good superfine salable. At the close there was a good demand for fresh ground. Old ground easier; medium extras also lower. Wheat opened unsettled, though not so depressed as at the close of 'Change yesterday. The market closed dull and lower, with a demand for export.

PORK

quiet and rather weak.

[To the Associated Press.]

SUNSTROKES.

NEW YORK, June 20.—The weather is excessively warm. Eight cases of sunstroke were reported to-day.

GOULD VS. GORDON.

In the suit of Gould against Lord Gordon, his Lordship unexpectedly appeared as a witness. Counsel for Jay Gould contended that witness could not be arrested under the attachment which had been issued against him until the conclusion of his examination. He was arrested constructively until his bond of $1 000 was completed, after which he drove to his hotel.

ABORTION CASE.

The case of Dr. Gyles, the alleged abortionist, was given to the jury this afternoon. At 5 o'clock the jury stood six for conviction and six for acquittal. There is no probability of an agreement. They will be locked up all night.

LATER.—The jury, at 10 to-night, returned a verdict of not guilty, and Gyles was discharged.

TILDEN VS. BUTLER.

The case of Tilden vs. General Butler was abruptly concluded to-day, by the withdrawal of plaintiff.

THE STOKES CASE.

Two additional jurors were obtained in the Stokes case, namely: Bennett Williams, lace dealer, 773 Broadway, and Nehemiah M. Cornish, merchant, No. 59 Lispenard street.

PERSONAL.

The wife and family of Carl Schurz sailed for Europe to-day in the Thuringia.

MURDER CONFESSED.

John W. Avery, of this city, has confessed the murder of Jacob W. Erb, at Cresskill, N. J. He is to be executed at Hackensack on the 26th instant.

THE JUBILEE.

Fourth Day of the Great Musical Festival —Largest Attendance Yet—The French Band Enthusiastically Received—Meyerbeer and Mendelssohn.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

COLISEUM, BOSTON, June 20.—The Jubilee excitement is at fever-heat, to-day, upon the occasion of the first appearance of the French Band of the Garde Republicaine. The attendance has been the largest and most brilliant of the week, and the chorus, instead of falling off any, as was expected, kept up to the full number. The leading part of the Jubilee, therefore, may be considered passed, and there is no danger ahead. The appearance of the French Band was something notable. Driven through New York by the International excitement, they arrived in Boston to find themselves warmly welcomed by their friends. But whenever they have met the Prussian Band they have gone under a cloud. The Prussians have always greeted them, but with the military salute of conquerors, and the French have invariably refused to return the salute, and have expressed their disgust by spitting upon the ground after the Prussians. This feeling was well known, and the whole French population of the city turned out to the Coliseum, and, with the Americans, gave them a welcome which was most unmistakable. As they passed down through the chorus to the front, the organ playing the Marseillaise, the whole organ and chorus rose to their feet and gave them cheer after cheer. The band took its place, with the utmost French courtesy, without waiting till they retired, immediately played the "Star Spangled Banner." In return for this welcome, band and audience were at once on a par. They then rendered themselves to their work, playing first one of Meyerbeer's torch dances, which being *encored*, was followed by the overture to "William Tell," the playing of which was greeted with a perfect whirlwind of applause. A more perfect rendering of this exquisite overture was probably never heard in this country, and nothing that either the German or English bands did in splendid style were, was at all comparable with it, either in perfection of phrasing, massing of harmony, or delicacy of expression or shading. The flutes and oboe passages were simply faultless. The French are the musical victors, and their triumph to-day has compensated them for any slights growing out of national feeling. The overture was encored, and in reply the band played a selection of American national airs which rekindled the excitement. The enthusiasm finally culminated in the performance of the Marseillaise by the combined forces, orchestra, the bonquet of artists, the operatic chorus, and the artillery. The effect was marvellously grand and powerful, and the scene was simply indescribable. Every one seemed inspired with the spirit of the occasion; even the cannon seemed to speak more loudly and promptly than usual, and Gilmore himself became aroused and led the stirring hymn as he has not done this week. The infection spread to the audience, and in the last verse thousands joined in the *Ami Zamore*. It was the birth of a Republic, and immediately at the close, the French Band took up the hymn and played it through in stirring style, evidently as a retort musical to the Germans' "Watch on the Rhine." In point of etiquette, honors are fairly bet ween the bands in music the French are the victors over English, Americans, and Germans.

The general programme of the day was a remarkably attractive one, and in its every respects the best thus far. Madame Lentner created another furore by her matchless singing of the Queen of Night aria from the "Magic Flute," and her encore to Nany Ann's "Good night, My Dearest Child," Abt himself leading the orchestra. The ballad was given with exquisite feeling, showing that her powers of melody and sympathy are as decided as her extraordinary technical ability.

Strauss secured a double *encore*, after leading his Thousand and One Nights Waltz, and for each gave the "Pizzicato Polka." Wehli, the left hander, played a fantasie of Rationalista, the best part of which, however, was the counterpoint he had written for the melody. —"The Star Spangled Banner" was lost in the heavy orchestral accompaniment. After Beethoven, however, Wehli is at best feeble and purposeless.

Madame Rudersdorff sang the "Bright Seraphim," with cornet obligato by Mr. Arbuckle. The instrumental part was given full justice, but there was not the perfect blending of voice and instrument which marked Patepa's singing of it at the first Jubilee.

The choral numbers were all well given, especially "The Heavens are Telling," which was superbly done. Gounod's splendid solo and chorus for baritone, from "Nazareth," was also one of the gems of the day, although the work is somewhat involved for such a large chorus.

To-morrow is the Austrian day, and another great audience is expected.

BOSTON, June 20.—There were nearly 50,000 persons in the Coliseum to-day, 30,000 being auditors. The first piece was the "Gloria," from Mozart's Twelfth Mass. Lentner's festival overture followed. Madame Rudersdorff then sang, "Let the Bright Seraphim," which was greeted with prolonged applause. The Anvil Chorus followed, which, as usual, was received with demonstrations of applause. Strauss next led the chorus in his own concert waltz of "Thousand and One Nights," carrying the audience by storm. Hayden's chorus, "The Heavens are Telling," followed, and was never better rendered. The Hallelujah Chorus by Wehli closed the first part of the programme.

The second part was opened by Madame Lentner, who sang the "Magic Flute," and achieved a greater triumph than has been accorded her since the opening of the Jubilee.

At this stage the Band Garde Republicaine, of Paris appeared and was greeted with cheers, the waving of hats and handkerchiefs and all sorts of friendly demonstrations. As soon as comparative quiet was restored the band under the leadership of M. Paulus, unexpectedly struck up "Hail Columbia," with a scene of indescribable enthusiasm ensued. Cheer after cheer drowned the music, every one in the house rising and standing on the seats, and several baskets of flowers were sent to the band from the audience. At the conclusion of this demonstration the organ and bands commenced playing the Marseillaise, when it appeared as if the great mass of humanity had almost become wild, so extravagant were the expressions of delight, the whole chorus, orchestra, bands, organ, and audience joining in the French song of Freedom. The audience kept on their feet and cheered until fairly hoarse. The French band followed with "Yankee Doodle" and "Star Spangled Banner." They retired amid cheers and the plaudits of the audience.

Lowell Mason's hymn, "Tell us of the Night," was the concluding piece, and was grandly rendered.

On Saturday there will be a colored chorus of 250 voices, from different parts of the country to join with the Colored Jubilee Singers.

ILLINOIS.

State Sunday School Convention at Aurora.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

AURORA, Ill., June 20.—Four thousand persons were in attendance upon the State Sunday School Convention to-day, one thousand of whom could not crowd into the pavilion this afternoon. At least one thousand visitors arrived by excursion trains this morning. It was decided to hold the next meeting at Springfield, as a delegated body, on the last Tuesday in May, each county being entitled to ten delegates. The audience was composed largely of children this afternoon. The event of the session was the eloquent address of Professor T. N. Haskel, of Aurora, to-night, on "The Harvest," on which he seemed inspired, and held the immense audience entranced for twenty minutes. At the conclusion he was enthusiastically applauded.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the citizens of Aurora and the railroads.

IOWA.

A Young Sinner Reasoned by His Father Somewhat.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 20.—C. F. Jewett, who was arrested in Chicago some four weeks ago by J. H. Smith, Chief of Police of this city, and brought here for trial, on charge of obtaining goods on false pretences, of merchants of this city, and of Davenport, has been released by his father settling for the goods he purchased. The criminal and his father have gone to New Hampshire.

A young man of the name of Allen fell dead, by sunstroke, while plowing corn eight miles west of this city, yesterday afternoon.

FOREIGN.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, June 20.—The Prince of Wales went to Lynn Regis yesterday, and presided at the opening of the agricultural exhibition. He was greeted with an enthusiastic reception.

FRANCE.

PARIS, June 20.—The delegates of the party of the Right, in the Assembly, had an interview with President Thiers to-day, but were unable to obtain from him any concessions. M. Thiers was, throughout, firm in the expression of sentiments favoring the continuance of the Republican form of Government for France.

Negotiations looking to the final payment of the German indemnity, and evacuation of French territory by the German troops are completed. The first payment of the indemnity still due Germany is to be made by February 15, 1873, and to consist of one milliard of francs. The second payment, a similar amount, is to be made before the close of 1873, and the third payment, also a milliard of francs, during the year 1874. The Departments of the Marne and Haute Marne are to be evacuated as soon as 500,000,000 of the indemnity have been remitted, and the present force of the army of occupation is to be reduced by one-third after the payment of each milliard to Germany. The French Government is already negotiating for bills of exchange to the amount of 500,000,000 francs.

SWITZERLAND.

BERNE, June 20.—The Swiss Government has just received from the French Treasury, an additional sum of 2,000,000 francs to wards the payment for the expenses incurred in maintaining General Bourbaki's army which interned in Switzerland. The remainder of the sum due,—3,300,000 francs—will be paid shortly.

MEXICO.

MATAMORAS, June 18.—It is reported on creditable authority that Generals Trevino and Quiroga, finding themselves unable to offer any considerable resistance to the forces concentrating at Monterey, and powerless to hold any important point outside of the State of Nuevo Leon, have sent Commissioners to the City of Mexico to arrange terms of peace on the basis of their pardon and subsequent submission to the Juarez Government. Yesterday evening a party of forty, supposed to be headed by a bandit chief from Portugal, appeared near this city, and robbed several persons and committed two murders on the road, within a few miles of the Mex

MY SUMMER ACROSS THE SEA.

NUMBER ONE.

For The Chicago Tribune.

AT SEA.

June 1.—There are comparatively, perhaps even positively, very few who only occasionally "go down to the sea in ships," who have any real sympathy with the spirit of the song:

A life on the ocean wave,
A home on the rolling deep!

They would, with rare exceptions, choose rather a home anywhere else than where

The shattered waters rave,
And the winds their revels keep.

Hitherto,—that is up to the beginning of the voyage I am now making,—I should have been entirely without sympathy with the song. But I am to-day just a week at sea, and not for one moment of all that week have I known the slightest discomfort growing out of the sea or the ship.

The log, posted on the door of the smoking saloon, reports 1,855 miles as the distance the ship has run in six days, ending with the noon now past. This has been the work of our engines, for the sails and the wind have hardly played any part in our progress. The sea has been smooth as a summer lake except for the incessant roll, the strong breathing of the giant deep. At no time has the motion of the ship been sufficient to deter even the ladies from the promenade of her great deck. The very greatness of it, to be sure, has had something to do with the quietness of our sea-life. The ship is the steamer Egypt—the last built of the National Line, owned in Liverpool, and running twelve fine vessels between that port and London and New York. The Egypt is the largest ship now in service on the sea,—next in actual dimensions to the unfortunate Great Eastern. When I say that her actual shell-tonnage amounts to 7,000, and her cargo capacity to over 5,000 tons, the size of the vessel will be vaguely suggested. Let me bequeat those figures by the 451 feet of her length and the 44 of her beam. She has immense capacity for carrying cargo and steerage passengers, of which latter she brought into port, last week, nearly 1,600 of the 10,000 landed from seven or eight ships at once.

The passengers now going out in the Egypt are busy boiling from the time we left New York. No sickness, to mention, has invaded the state-rooms, and the grand dining saloon has drawn its full complement of guests four times every day, as regularly as the ship's bells have struck.

If I had not realized it, I could hardly have believed that a whole week of absolutely quiet sea-life could be enjoyed on the Atlantic Ocean in May. The pronounce on the deck of the steamer is from stem to stern, without obstruction; and, from sunrise to midnight, there are pairs and groups in the bright movement which seem to inspire. The quarter-deck—which is itself almost as spacious as the whole deck of some of the foreign steamships—is the scene of animated life,—including the gay dance, as well as quiet amusements.

The steam power of this fine ship is hardly adequate to her size,—her highest steam-speed, in a quiet sea, being about 13 miles an hour. We have, therefore, welcomed every wind that helped to fill her sails and increase her speed. If she were before a strong breeze there can be no doubt that she would make 16 sea-miles an hour, and in a rough sea on strip the vessels of competing lines, with immense advantage, that she would comparatively quiet, when they would pitch and toss, and roll like barrels on the waves.

If I could repeat again and again the experience of sea-life on the Egypt, I would say, with heartiness of meaning, "A life on the ocean wave." Exhilarating, inspiring, health-giving, and full of bodily and mental vigor, has the past week been to the fortunate 300 who are crossing the Atlantic in the Egypt.

There remain to us yet three days of the transit, and before these are passed, and we have reached Liverpool, the coquettish, treacherous sea may spoil for us the halcyon impressions here recorded. This, too, I know, in spite of high barometers now hanging before me in the "chart-room," which courteous Captain Grogan has put, at my command, as a writing-room, for which he has my thanks.

The tide of travel to Europe this summer is very great. It is safe to say that 2,000 persons crossing weekly the ocean in fine steamships that depart from New York and other ports. I include, of course, in this estimate, only cabin passengers. The frequency and regularity with which the lines send their ships to and fro, make the transit that of a great international Steam Ferry.

The time has not yet come, indeed, and, probably, will not, speedily, when voyagers will depart, and their friends will speed their departure with the *seeing feid* of a ferry-boat journey. It is a broad ferry, and often a stormy one, that crosses it, and many hearts will sink and grow faint and sad at the inevitable separations, and the possible, if not probable, dangers attending the voyage.

IN SIGHT OF LAND.

June 3.—Two days later than the date of the foregoing, I am recording our grateful impressions in sight of land, after having been isolated and lonely, even in our happy circumstances a ship board, for eight days. This is Monday, the second at sea, and the wind has from the northwest, filling our sails, and helping the incessant toil of the engines to propel our ship through the water. "Fifteen knots" is the reply of the log-officer when he arises in these ways, for there is more life at sea than we have had before. The ship is rolling quite as much as many can bear. There are some pale faces on the promenade-deck, and there are faces missed; which is true also of the table. The second Sabbath, indeed, was hardly as much like shore as the first, and, although we had service in the saloon, there was evident impatience to escape from its confined air into the fine, fair breeze blowing on deck.

To-day we are to reach Queenstown, and so finish, in one sense, the passage of the Atlantic, for the rest of the brief voyage will be over the seas that fringe the British Islands.

We sight the west coast of Ireland at Mizenhead, about 30 miles south of the Skelligs, the dangerous rocks which proved fatal so recently to the Cunard steamship Tripoli, and which lie near the route of all the ships that take the short cut from New York to the Irish coast. Avoiding this, the Egypt is probably half a day longer than the others.

White-star" ships starting with her, if they have kept clear of the banks, icebergs, and rocks, as we hope they have, and rejoice to know they have.

Just south of Mizenhead the Irish coast turns east and, and we are running south of it. "Erin go bragh" with us for the first tokens of its verdure: for we see bold, bleak-looking bluffs, promontories, and rocks, bearing the suggestive names of "heads." Last of these is Kinsale, where we get our first outlook for Queenstown, and the first change that is to befall our voyage.

There, we shall land a score or two of our passengers, who adopt the plan of making their Irish tour first, going to the fine City of Cork, of which Queenstown is the harbor, and thence, by way of Killarney and other attractions, to Dublin, to cross the sea to Holyhead or Liverpool, as they may incline, to reach England or Wales. I am too fettered by plans that I cannot follow the impulse which urges me to go with these deserters,—the choicest of our ship's company,—and myself make less favorable time to the bold hills with which "the Gem of the Sea" is set on the west and south. I must reserve this pleasure for the month of August.

ON ENGLISH SOIL.

June 5.—The third part of this initial chapter of "My Summer in England" is to be dated from the great city of stone,—of commerce, and docks, and ships,—in which it is without a rival.

The Egypt dropped anchor in the Mersey just ten days after she left Sandy Hook. The scene was a beautiful one. A bright June afternoon, without heat; the pretty watering place, New Brighton, with clumps of green trees on the Birkenhead side and, the massive docks, with the brown and gray city rising above them on the other, while in the river lay or moved the shipping of the great steamers which help to make up the international ferry fleet, and of which, in size and majestic proportions, the Egypt is entitled to be the flag-ship. The City of Berlin and the Germanic were before us, as I supposed, but we were on the very heels of the Gaico mail steamer, the Manhattan, which left New York three days before us, and had the "customs" examination of our "baggage" we had to wait an hour of the dock, impatient enough to get one footage on John's soil. Besides these were Cunarders, and Canada ships, and a score of tugs and coast steamers plying about and brightening the picture.

For miles the massive docks barred their stone breasts to the river-waves, and above them towered grand palaces of trade, of arts, and of religion, making up the City of Liverpool, which, when explored, will justify the sword I here give it of being the *noblest* city in the world. It is a very beautiful city, too, although the bituminous coal-smoke deprives it of some ways, for the magnificent material generally dings. Its commercial grandeur is of world-wide renown. Its docks cover 300 acres of ground, lined with nearly twenty miles of stone quay on which the "heavily-laden ships of all nations. The municipal expenditure in Liverpool is absolutely regal, and has amounted, it is said, within the present century, to fifteen hundred millions of dollars! If its unequalled series of docks is considered as the first item on the account, these figures will not seem preposterous to those who know what they mean. The income of the docks is immense, and the importance of them to the city incalculable.

The most conspicuous of new erections in Liverpool is the great Northwestern Railway Station House and Hotel, which lifts its many-towered summits high above the great docks, and can be seen over the city from a terrace of the town. Here the travellers of the whole world "do congregate," though I have chosen for myself very pleasant quarters in the Washington Hotel just opposite its pretentious neighbor, and where I find, from the circle in my room, that I must pay 20 shillings per day for bed for Barta, "gas or candle" for the usual service, and for meals for pleasure, making altogether a moderate daily bill of twelve Victoria shillings—at present gold and exchange rates, just three and one-third dollars. As this gives me a spacious room, with Brussels carpet, elegant canopied bed, linen sheets, choice viands and all sorts of prompt service, I think myself fortunate in the choice of my quarters. If I were less so, however, it would make little difference, for I mean just as soon as I can get the sea-fog—I cannot say "dust" of me, to begin the railway tour of great metropolis. There are trains that will take me there—205 miles—in four hours, and at the Parliamentary "penny," or the aristocratic (Pullman) palace "sixpence-a-mile" penny" a mile. I shall probably go between these extremes in the sensible, comfortable, and equally swift "second-class."

Mortar-Making Machines.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: I saw in your paper of Sunday last a letter asking for the details of the cost of running the mortar machine I have already described, and the amount of mortar it can make in a day.

The daily cost of running the machine is as follows:

Interest on cost of machine	$1.06
Rent for engine	2.00
Engineer's wages	3.00
Coal	2.00
Two laborers	4.00
Cost of running machine per day	$13.06

Profit gained by machine-made over hand-made mortar, per day:

56 yards of sand saved per day by the use of lately the rolled, and the	$87.50
Saving of three laborers	6.00
Men being able to lay many more bricks with machine than with hand-made mortar, say 10 per cent on wages of 25 men, the number necessary to use the amount of mortar made per day,—10 per cent on $75	7.50
Profits gained per day by machine-made, over hand-made mortar	$81.00
Cost per day of running machine	13.06
Clear profit per day	$39.00

From the above it will be seen that at least 25 yards of sand can be saved per day. This amount of ground brick, mixed with the proper proportion of lime and water, will reduce itself to two-thirds its bulk when dry, and produce about 20 yards of mortar per day. L. B. T.

CHICAGO, June 18.

The New Senator From New Hampshire.

To the Editor of the Chicago Tribune:

SIR: I have seen, since the nomination of Bainbridge Wadligh for the United States Senate from New Hampshire, in place of J. W. Paterson, several inquiries as to who he is. Mr. Wadligh I have known intimately for twenty years, in Milford, N. H., his residence, as well as my own till 1869. He is a well-known lawyer, not probably known very extensively outside his State; is hardly surpassed in the State for his legal attainments, or for success at the bar. He has served, I think, eight years in the State Legislature, and last year was the Republican leader in the House. As a politician he is successful in carrying out plans for his personal interests as well as for the party's, having been an active member of the State Central Committee several times. It is supposed he could have had the speakership of the House this year, had he not declined it, probably anticipating the result of the balloting in caucus. My opinion, from long personal acquaintance with Mr. Wadligh, is that he will prove to be as able a Senator as New Hampshire has chosen for many years. He has been a Republican from the first, and undoubtedly supports Grant. Hastily yours, E. LOVEJOY.

CHICAGO, June 19.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bonds worth $21,800, but worthless to the thief, were stolen in Pittsburgh, the other day. The thief, not aware that a reward of $100 was offered, "no questions asked," made off with his booty, and has been arrested in Philadelphia.

—Since Jan. 1, 142,081 immigrants have arrived at New York, an increase of 49,195 over the same period last year.

—The track of Tom Scott's new railroad from Philadelphia to Washington was laid through the City of Baltimore, during Monday night, and a march was thus stolen on the legal minds who were proposing an injunction.

—Seth Green has just stocked Lake Champlain with fifty thousand shad, who are expected to find an outlet to the ocean via the St. Lawrence and come back again to Whitehall.

—The colored people of San Francisco will legally contend for the right of their children to enter the public schools with white children.

—Two young ladies going home from a fair in New Haven, the other evening, had their dresses ruined by scoundrels who threw sulphuric acid on them.

—The Americus Club's palace in Greenwich, Conn., which was built at a cost of $300,000 on leased land, has passed from the Club's hands, and on Monday the sumptuous furniture and plate were sold by auction to satisfy a Sheriff's claim. The sale yielded $15,000. This is the last of Boss Tweed and company.

—Projects for a Zoological Garden at Philadelphia are much discussed in that city.

—A movement is on foot in San Francisc to introduce the Mongolian tongues into the public schools of that city. The reason urged is the growing importance of the trade with China and Japan, and the commercial utility of Chinese and Japanese to a city so well situated to monopolize the traffic of those countries.

—A soldiers' monument, to cost $25,000, is to be erected at Fitchburg, Mass.

—Of "real estate in Cleveland," the *Leader* says: Land in Euclid, east of Wrights', near the toll-gate, with a depth of 660 feet, has been sold for $100 a foot front. Two acres a mile further east have just been purchased by a real estate operator for $8,000. Four and one-half acres on the same street were purchased in April, 1871, for $6,700, and sold in April, 1872, for $21,750.50. These are only isolated cases.

—The celebrated stallion, Walkill Chief, died at the Vermont Stock Farm, in Shelburn, on Friday last, of typhoid pneumonia. He was valued at $15,000.

—Houghton, editor of the Charleston (West Va.) *Herald*, committed suicide, last Tuesday, because of domestic difficulties.

—A handsome young lady of respectable family, clerk in the Post Office at Branford, Connecticut, has just been discovered to have committed the triple crime of robbing the mail, forgery, and passing a forged check and has confessed.

—During May the gain of population to California, by arrivals over departures, was 3,800; and since Jan. 1 the gain has been 6,872.

—The Lake Shore and the Columbus Railroads have purchased a lot on the southeast corner of St. Clair and Ontario streets, Cleveland, as a site for general offices.

—The Atlantic & Great Western Railway has decided to erect new and enlarged shops at Galion.

—A lady named Beardshear, living on a farm near Dayton, Ohio, while carrying an armful of wood from the woodshed to the kitchen, was bitten on the leg by what was first believed to have been a rattlesnake, and after drinking a large quantity of pure alcohol, in the absence of whiskey, to counteract the poison, her husband, working in the field near by, heard her screams and came to her assistance; and, in searching for the supposed snake just where she dropped the armful of wood, was agreeably surprised to find a piece of barrel-hoop, which Mrs. B. had stepped on, and, as it flew up, struck her in such a manner as to draw the blood.

—During last year Bunker Hill Monument had 30,000 visitors, and the receipts were $20,435.

—Claim attorneys are offering to collect for one-legged and one-armed soldiers the increase of pensions due them by act of the last Congress. Our mutilated heroes should observe that, by waiting patiently, they will receive the increase just as early through the proper channels, free of expense. The Commissioner of Pensions will soon announce the steps necessary to establish a claim.

—Hold on! Don't root up that evergreen. It may have life in it. Though the foliage looks as if fire had passed through it. A writer in an Eastern paper says that the evergreens are not killed, the foliage, the leaves only, are hurt, and as they fall, a new growth appears, and the trees attain their former beauty and vigor. He advises those who have evergreen trees or hedges, to cut them back one-third, pruning well the side limbs.

—On the plantation of Dr. E. Vampill, in Marion County, S. C., a colored man and woman are living who have raised up a large family. The ages of the parents are about 45 years, and they are of a tolerably dark color. About three or four months ago there was an increase in the family, of twins, a boy and girl, whose skin and complexion are perfectly white. Their hair is also of a white color, and somewhat curled, the eyes of reddish brown, and the pupils of a pinkish color. The features are very much those peculiar to the African race.

THE FURY OF A JEALOUS MAN.

Terrible and Probably Fatal Assault Upon a Clergyman.

From the Omaha Republican, June 18.

A most terrible affair, growing out of a hot-blooded man's insane jealousy for a woman whom he had known but a single week, occurred in a house of prostitution, on Farnam street, near Baymiller, about 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The house is occupied by Mrs. Sallie Shingledecker, nee Stevens, who is a lady of perhaps 40 years of age, and the widow of the late Isaac Shingledecker, Esq. She has been keeping house since her husband's death, some two years ago, in company with her two youthful children, a boy and a girl. About a year ago she became acquainted with Thomas L. Bond, a middle-aged man, who was employed by the Gas Company in turning the gas on or off, whenever his services might be required.

Bond is a medium-sized, slender gentleman, with hair plentifully sprinkled with gray, and a manner seemingly indicative of a nervous organization and a warm temperament, that any undue excitement might turn into a boiling white heat of madness. He is a man of great worldly experience, having travelled in various capacities, and in all parts of the world, for the past twenty years, and, until recently, resided with his aged mother, on Walnut Hills. His acquaintance with Mrs. Shingledecker was not long a matter of fact before it had ripened into affection, and, finally, he proposed marriage to her. She declined his offer, on the ground that she might do better, as he states, but left the door unlocked, and the same time an engagement has existed between them for some time past.

About three months ago, he commenced boarding at Mr. Shingledecker's house, and has remained there ever since. Last Thursday evening the Rev. J. J. Thompson, formerly of the Methodist Church in this city, but now conducting a pastorate with the same Church in Leavenworth, Ks., paid a visit to this city for the purpose of endeavoring to secure an appointment as book distributor of the Methodist Church at St. Louis. Among the first of his friends whom he called to see was Mrs. Shingledecker, with whom he has been on terms of the closest pastoral relation for years, having officiated at the funeral of her late husband, and on the occasion of a marriage in the family. The lady greeted him very cordially when he visited her, and by no doing aroused a lasting feeling of jealousy in the breast of Bond, who was present. Mr. Thompson repeated his visit on the two following days, dining at the house on Saturday and again did the feelings of his relations with the lady impress itself upon Bond and excite his ire.

Yesterday Mr. Thompson had determined upon as the day of his departure, and, prior to his leaving, he called upon Mrs. Shingledecker once more. After conversing with her for some time he started to take his leave, when he suddenly, without any warning, Bond rose into the parlor from an inner room, and struck Mr. Thompson a terrible blow on the forehead with a large hatchet which he carried. The first blow proved sufficient, two of the cuts inflicted by the horrible weapon being in the head and one in the back, and then rushed from the house. Mrs. Shingledecker, who had made a feeble resistance to the assault during its committal, assisted Mr. Thompson after Bond had fled, but the wounded man, though grievously hurt, was still in full possession of his faculties, and his strength was sufficient to permit him to walk to the corner of Ninth and Elm streets, and here he was taken into a drug store, and his wounds dressed by Drs. Fillmore and Graeser.

It was then removed to the residence of his parents, No. 33 Laurel street, and there he received every attention that the nicest judgment could suggest, or the hands of many warm-hearted friends furnish. The cuts were all found to be of a dreadful character. That in the forehead sank deep below the surface of the skin, and one in the left temple fractured the skull, it is feared, and the wounded man is still bleeding profusely after receiving the wounds, and left a red trail of the life current behind him, as he searched for succor. The eye-witnesses say he ought without any warning

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

MONETARY.

THURSDAY EVENING, June 20.

There seem no features of special importance in finance, either in the local or general markets, to-day. The banks are well supplied with loanable funds, and are accommodating all approved parties freely, but are requiring larger margins than they advance on grain receipts in cotton lately.

Currency is scarce in this market. Large amounts have been sent to the country, and some of the banks are obliged to order additional supplies from New York.

Exchange is depressed by the pressure to sell to get currency, and was freely offered between banks to-day at ¼ per $1,000 discount.

There were no new developments to-day in connection with the recent failures. The vote of confidence, of course, try to squirm out of their obligations in any way they can. It remains to be seen whether the Board of Trade will have backbone enough to cast their influence on the side of honesty by compelling the delinquents to their recent outrageous attempt to stop the grain trade of the country simply for the benefit of their recent outlaws. If the persons who have operated in the corner can escape their liabilities in the way they have, it might as well be no law at all, for once that the commercial honor which has been the pride of Chicago merchants is lost, and yet in a few years it has become a "good standing" again on 'Change. Such a state of things cannot be tolerated.

CITY PROPERTY, OFF FOR AMERICA.

The New York papers refer to the arrival in that city of a well-street people to Europe as somewhat remarkable. A visit to Europe is now looked upon as the only method of passing a thorough season, and the annually increasing from active participation in the fashionable circles. The American watering places for the season. The Saratoga correspondents now pay all the modern luxuries of Europe at the Union Hotel on the Stock Exchange. To leave a visit to them does not give character. To leave a visit to them does not give necessary relief to the fascination of spending money in ever present to the activity of the Long Branch is absent this season, and place is represented in part. This is what has induced so many to visit Europe this season, and place 3 cents miles of water between them and the Stock Exchange. These travelers are only a small portion of the great crowds of people who are flocking to Europe from all parts of the United States. On the other hand, it appears that in some of the Europeans visit the wealthy people are becoming tired of the fashionable summer-tour than in interesting parts of the world. In Berlin, one of the principal topics of conversation is the city is a pleasant excursion of wealthy Berliners to the United States. The excursion is to believe all arranged, and the party, some sixty or seventy in number, are to leave Berlin in the middle of July, and will remain in the principal cities of the United States before they return. It is probable this may be the first of parties of wealthy citizens of other European countries. We regard this as the beginning of an era of more intelligent information in Europe in regard to the society and resources of the United States, and particularly of the West. Chicago, which the London Times lately designated as the real seat of the Mississippi Valley, will, of course be one of the principal points of attraction. European tourists will here have an opportunity to witness with wonder the building of a city on a scale, of which their experience gives no hint of idea; scenes which ever exceed anything instanced in the history of the world. Those in Chicago history when some despotic king commanded millions of slaves to build here or there a city as the mere whim of the moment dictated. Here, in the United States a city once established, it will allow of European capital the vast and attractive fields for new and profitable enterprises afforded by the West, and will result in drawing European capital more freely to this country to build new railroads, open mines of coal, iron and the precious metals, stimulating industry and enterprise of every kind.

STOCKS NOW AND A YEAR AGO.

Owing to the flight of New York speculators above referred to, it is lost that as far as speculation is concerned, the situation is very different from what it was a year ago. At that time the money kings of Wall street were busily engaged in getting up stocks to the case of the Lake Shore, which, notwithstanding its pecuniary condition now than then, is now quoted at from 80 to 85, against 93 then—just as the bulk of the Western railroads are now, as merchants iron required for the railways of two years ago.

The New York factory looted upon as the best security for give twenty acres of ground requiring timber to be used in the construction of the best in Owen County, and an order for 1,000 acres more work upon.

Real Estate, axle forge, the necessary works, and liberal orders for the

The manufacturing establishments are the locating and successful prosecution

descriptive of the manufacturing position of the railway will be mailed to any applicant.

MATT. P. WOOD,
C. & T. H. R. R., Terre Haute, Ind.

War Department,

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington City, June 18, 1872.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, July 15, 1872, for the purpose of examining various property, and recommending the sale of such as may be found unfit for the use of Congress approved March 3, 1871, to provide for furnishing supplies.

Persons desiring to bid are invited to forward their proposals to this office, addressed to the undersigned, for the property at the following places:

Rock Island Arsenal, Ill.
Jefferson Barracks, Mo.
Fort Leavenworth, Kan.
Fort Riley, Kan.
Fort Sill, I. T.
Fort Gibson, I. T.
Fort Union, N. M.
Fort Wingate, N. M.
Fort Craig, N. M.
Fort Bayard, N. M.
Fort Whipple, A. T.
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Fort Vancouver, W. T.
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Fort Mason, Cal.
Fort Alcatraz, Cal.
Fort Mohave, A. T.
Fort Stanton, N. M.
Fort Sumner, N. M.
Fort Garland, Col.
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Schedules and descriptive lists of the property at each place will be furnished on application to the Quartermaster at that place.

Proposals must be made in accordance with the following instructions:

Affidavits.

All agreements or contracts, or renewals of the same.

Appraisements, of value or damage, or for any other purpose.

Assignment, of a lease, mortgage, policy or insurance, or anything else.

Bills of Exchange, foreign inland, letters of credit, or anything of that kind now taxed by stamps.

Bills of lading, and receipts, in the United States or for any where else.

Bills of sale, of any kind.

Bond of indemnification, of any kind.

Bond of administrator or guardian, or anything that is the same of bond in it, and now taxed by stamps.

Certificates of measurement of anything.

Certificates of stock, profits, dividend, deposit, any other kind of certificate now taxed by law.

Charter, or its renewal, or a charter-party of any kind.

All contracts or agreements.

Conveyance, any part of the work of conveyancing.

Indorsement, of any negotiable or not negotiable instrument.

Entry, for consumption, warehousing, or withdrawal.

Gaugers' returns.

Insurance policies, contracts, tickets, renewals, slips, certificates, binders, and renewals.

Lease. All though the lease list is abolished.

Legal documents. Writ, or other process, conveyance, bill of sale, mortgage, deed of trust, bond, indenture, affidavit, or declaration, of administration, testamentary papers.

Manifests at Custom House, or any where else, or for any purpose.

Mortgage, of any kind.

Passage ticket, to any place in the world.

Patents' checks.

Power of attorney for any purpose.

Probate of will, of any kind.

Promissory note for anything.

Protest of any kind.

Quit claim deed.

Receipts. Now generally exempt, and if included in present law in any case, will be hereafter exempt.

Sheriff's return.

Trust deed.

Warehouse receipt.

Warrant of attorney.

Weighers' returns.

Will of any character.

The only stamp-tax retained on any business or legal document or written paper of any kind is the bonds issued to railroads.

THE TREASURY ACCOUNTS

On June 16, the Treasurer of the United States held as security for circulating notes of National Banks, United States bonds to the amount of $354,000 and for $1,724,000, National Bank circulation outstanding, $353,000.

Internal revenue receipts, $326,340,770. The receipts for the fiscal year to date had already exceeded the estimate for the entire fiscal year, and it is probable that the additional receipts up to the 30th inst. will reach fully five millions.

The balance in the Treasury at the close of business, June 16, were: Currency, $6,329,222; coin, $86,172,292. Coin certificates are outstanding to the amount of $24,250,000.

THE LOCAL STOCK AND BOND MARKET.

Messrs. Lunt, Preston & Kean furnish quotations for Government bonds and local securities at 12:30 o'clock:

	Buying.	Selling.
United States 6s of '81	113½	114
6-20s of '62	113½	114
6-20s of '64	113½	114
6-20s of '65	113½	114
6-20s of Jan. and July	113½	114
6-20s of '67, May and November	113½	114
6-20s of '68, Jan. and July	113½	114
10-40s	110	110½
United States 7-30s (new issue)	110½	111
United States Currency 6s	114	114½
Northern Pacific gold 7-30s	100 and int.	
Chicago City 7s, currency and Town 10s	95	99
Cook County 7s	100 and int.	
Illinois Central 7s	100 and int.	
Sterling Exchange (large drafts)	109½@110	109½@110

REAL ESTATE.

Instruments Filed for Record Thursday, June 20.

CITY PROPERTY.

Deerplaines-st., n. w. cor. of Deerplaines-st., s f, 100x125 ft with buildings, dated June 18; consideration, $14,000.

Rehowbot, between Wisconsin and Centre-sts, s f, 20 ft to alley, dated May 1; consideration, $1,000.

Bill Lots, of Mackubin's Lot 1, of n e ¼ of Sec 4, 39, 14, dated June 18; consideration, $1,500.

Lot 4, of Lots 18, 16, &c., in Block 5, Rockwell's addition, dated May 1; consideration, $3,600.

Vacant-st., s f, 25 ft south of Adams-st, w f, 80x125 ft, with improvements, dated June 14; consideration, $9,000.

Lot 7, in Block 5, of w i s e l, Sec 6, 39, 14, dated June 19; consideration, $600.

Lot 41, in Block 17, Sheffield's Addition, dated June 19; consideration, $5,000.

Lot 29, in Hull's Lots 29, 61, &c., in Butterfield's Addition, dated Sept. 13, 1871; consideration, $1,300.

Hamlet-av, s f, 50 ft s of Napoleon place, e f, 25 ft to alley, dated June 12; consideration, $3,500.

Lots 24 to 28, in Block 11, in Harding's w i n w ¼ Sec 21, 39, 14, dated Feb. 15; consideration, $1,000.

Wood-st, 325 ft n of Blue Island av, w f, 24x100 ft, dated June 17; consideration, $600.

Blue Island av, 101 ft n e of Wood-st, s e f, 24x100 ft, dated June 10; consideration, $1,800.

Lot 1, in Owsley's Subdivision of Chesterton place, s f, 25 ft to alley, dated June 17; consideration, $900.

South Park av, 50 ft s of Thirty-second-st, e f, 25 ft, dated June 18; consideration, $3,375.

Lot 2, in Isaac Taylor-st, w f, 72 ft to alley, dated March 24; consideration, $1,500.

Mc Reynolds-st, near Wood-st s f, 24 ft to alley, dated June 6; consideration, $650.

South Park-st, s w corner of Oak st, e f, 54x100 ft, dated May 31; consideration, $5,000.

Lot 3, in Block 2, of Sec 33, 40, 14, dated June 17; consideration, $6,000.

Parties of lots in same, dated June 17; consideration, $1,000.

Manchester-av, 49 ft n of Polk-st, e f, 91x114½ ft, dated March 20; consideration, $900.

Lot 6, in Block 2 of Block 35, of w ¼ Sec 27, 39, 14, dated Dec. 1, 1871; consideration, $2,400.

Lot 3, in Campbell's Lot 5, of Block 2, Rockwell's Add, dated June 15; consideration, $2,000.

Hoyt-st and 66, in Block 1, Springer's and Fox's Add, dated May 20; consideration, $910.

North 31 ft of Lot 11, of Lots 133 to 136, in Bu-

hnell's Add, dated June 9; consideration $1,000.

West Adams-st, s w cor of Wood-st, s & l, 75x125 ft, with buildings, dated May 17; consideration, $14,000.

Kossuth-st, 125 ft w of Butler-st, n f, 25x125 ft, dated June 4; consideration, $1,000.

Kossuth-st, 125 ft w of Hanover-st, n f, 25x125 ft, dated May 31; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 5, in Block 15, Sec 7, 39, 14, dated June 18; consideration, $7,000.

Lot 8, in Block 15, in Bushnell's Addition, dated April 29; consideration, $4,750.

Triangular lot, s f, on Polk-st, bet Robey-st and Southwestern av, dated Feb. 21; consideration, $676.

Harrison-st, ½ mile w of Western av, 20 acres, dated June 17; consideration, $110,000. The market was weak and unsettled. Neither the

Cleaver-st, between Bradley and Division sts, w f, 25x125 ft, with buildings, dated June 17; consideration, $1,000.

SOUTH OF CITY LIMITS.

Lot 26, in Block 2 of Litt & Divercy's Blocks, 11 and 12 of e ½ Sec 20, 40, 14, dated June 15; consideration, $600.

Lot 22, in same, dated June 15; consideration, $800.

SOUTH OF CITY LIMITS.

Lots 3, 4, 17 and 18, in Lavinia & Co.'s Subdivision of e ½ of n e ¼ Sec 10, 39, 14, dated April 22; consideration, $60 00.

School-st, lot 18 n s of Crescent-st, e f, 60x125 ft, dated June 18; consideration, $1,250.

8 & Lot 5, in Block 16, of Johnston's n e ¼ Sec. 3, 39, 14, dated June 7; consideration, $1,150.

S. Lot 5, in same, dated June 7; consideration, $1,150.

Lots 7 to 10, in Block 2, in Lymar's Resubdivision, in Lymar's e ½ Sec 5, 39, 14, dated May 17; consideration, $1,200.

Lot 14 in Block 1, of Jennings' s e ¼ Sec. 3, 39, 14, on s e cor of Vincennes and Bowen ave, dated June 1; consideration, $4,300.

WEST OF CITY LIMITS.

Lot 12, of Cooleburn's Block 4, of Johnson's e ½ s e ¼ Sec. 36, 40, 13, dated Jan. 17; consideration, $200.

COMMERCIAL.

THURSDAY EVENING, June 20.

The following are the receipts and shipments of flour, grain, and produce for the past twenty-four hours:

	Received.		Shipped.	
	1872.	1871.	1872.	1871.
Flour, brls	6 195	4 558	4,140	4,776
Wheat, bu	34 223	26 900	8 817	12,400
Corn, bu	192 700	249 030	224 300	321,109
Oats, bu	39 000	39,700	51,742	52,377
Rye, bu	1,500	1,600	3,200	1,040
Barley, bu		750	450	
Grass seed, lbs	16,350	4,400	1,500	
Flax seed, lbs		2,000		
Broom corn, lbs	18,160	26,700	27,770	
Dried meats, lbs	19,460	11,200	219,500	79,791
Beef, brls	27		70	347
Pork, brls				
Lard, lbs	2,710	23,200	19,200	25,272
Tallow, lbs	16,900	12,700	24,000	
Butter, lbs	80,200	185,600	61,500	94,000
Live hogs, No	15 333	8,826	4,968	7,167
Cattle, No	2,071	2,831	1,201	1,815
Sheep, No	1,867	1,672		211
Hides, lbs	95,200	85,200	9,844	49,100
Highwines, brls	237	68	353	926
Coal, lbs	197,400	41,971	78,445	676,010
Potatoes, bu	1,148	2,917	719	
Lumber, m	7,788	6,391	1,870	2,241
Shingles, m	2,120	3,308	3,369	1,483
Lath, m	749	800	1,150	1,150
Salt, brls	1,287	2,600	1,990	1,113

Withdrawn from store yesterday for city consumption: 214 bu wheat; 2,154 bu corn; 1,347 bu oats; 1,742 bu rye.

The following grain has been inspected into store this morning, up to 10 o'clock: 53 cars wheat; 241 cars and 29,300 bu corn; 149 cars oats; 1 car rye. Total (144 cars), 367,000 bu.

The leading produce markets were again easier to-day, but without any of the weakness that has been so strongly marked for a few days past. The receipts of grain were full, but not larger than usual, and the shipments were satisfactory, except in wheat, which still refuses to move out. The course of trade was more settled, and the effects of the corners were but little visible; neither was much said in reference thereto. The markets seemed to have settled down nearly to a normal condition, and only to be a little too much "calm after the storm." The grocery market was firm for nearly every thing, but the tone is especially so for coffees, sugars and syrups. Rice fees advanced ½c, in sympathy with New York. Sugars were more settled but on the whole are easier, and syrups are quite exceedingly firm, as they still are lower here than at the East, and the "strike" continues. Syrups have advanced so in New York, and an upward movement here is imminent. Bleached soaps, spices, etc., were steady at former quotations. No changes were reported in the dry goods market. Only a moderate business was done, but the general feeling among jobbers seemed to be one of firmness, and prices were well maintained all round. The demand for grain has was again of a liberal character, and the advanced prices recently established were fully adhered to. Buyer was in light request early and holders, though willing to meet except materially lower prices, were extremely anxious to realize, as the stocks—already large—are rapidly augmenting. Cheese was dull and weak. Coal met with some inquiry at $6.00 for Erie, and at $8.00 for Lackawanna. In the hay market only a limited business was transacted, neither local nor outside demands being very considerable, and prices were again lower. Hides and leather remain firm and unchanged. Lime were quiet, without any material change in value, though limeed was firmer. In the market for lumber at the yards, the amount of trading was fair—chiefly on local account, and a healthy feeling prevailed. There was a meagre inquiry for hardwood lumber, but, as the stocks are small, dealers are realizing full prices. Metals and lumber stocks were in comparatively active at about yesterday's prices. No new features were developed in the markets for hide, naval stores, wool, or cooperage—the trading in each being of a fair character. Poultry and potatoes were dull. Eggs sold all the way from 11@12c.

Highwines were more active, and stronger, the market advancing 1c in the latter half of the session, under a good demand, with rather light offerings. Sales were reported at 90c on the spot, and 100 brls at 86c. The market closed at 86c.

Lake freights were less active at yesterday's advance, there being fewer vessels offering, with less of demand. A total of seven charters from this port was reported, which will take out 1,000,000 bu corn, and 150,000 bu oats. Rail rates closed at 8c for corn, 9c for wheat, and 6c for oats to Buffalo; 15c for corn to Oswego, and 17½c for do to Kingston. Through rates on corn were quoted at 24c to Portland, 25c to Boston, and 22½@23c to New York.

Provisions were irregular. Mess pork was active for the season, opening weak at the decline noted at the call yesterday, and receding somewhat, but closed firmer under a fair demand to fill options, closing higher than the previous day's prices. They ranged: Cash, $9.00@9.05; July, $9.00@9.05; August, $9.15@9.17½; September, $9.30@9.32½. Lard was quiet, but steady, a shade firmer for the month, and rather easier on July. Meats were in fair request, and closed a shade more firmly, especially on shoulders. The market closed at the following range of quotations: Mess pork, cash or seller June, $9.00@9.05; do seller July, $9.00@9.05; do seller August, $9.15@9.17½; do seller September, $9.30@9.32½. Lard, cash or seller June; $6.75@6.77½; do seller July, $6.90@6.92½; do seller August, $7.05@7.07½; do seller September, $7.20@7.22½. Dry salted meats, 4¾@4¾c for shoulders, and 6½c for short ribs; no short clear offering. Boxed meats were 1@2c higher than the above quotations for loose, as follows: packed shoulders, 5½@5¾c for summer, and 5¾@6c for summer. Bacon quoted at 5¾@6c for shoulders; 7½@7¾c for short ribs; 7¾@7¾c for clear. Hams, all packed. Mess beef, $9.00; extra mess beef, $10.00. Beef hams, $18.00. City packed mess pork, $9.00@9.25; extra mess pork, at $12.50; 200 brls do at $12.35; 2,500 brls do, seller July, at $12.40; 1,500 brls do at $12.37½; 1,000 brls do at $12.45; 1,500 brls do at $12.35; 1,000 brls do, seller August, at $12.21; 500 brls do at $12.50; 1,000 brls do, seller September, at $12.65; 200 brls prime mess at $11.00; 250 tcs lard at 6¾@6¾c for summer do at 8c; 50,000 lbs (light) shoulders at 4½c; 100 tcs sweet pickled hams at 10c; 50 tcs yellow grease at 6½c.

Flour was dull at a decline of 25c per brl noted yesterday, being reported neglected and heavy in New York. Sales were confined to 50 brls white winter on private terms; 50 brls spring extras at $7.25; 50 brls do fancy at $8.25. Total, 150 brls. Also 40 tons bran at $11.00 on track, and 10 tons fine feed at $10.25 on track.

Wheat was active, and steadier, though still variable, averaging about the same as the decline noted yesterday. Liverpool was quoted dull and 1d lower per 100 lbs, and New York was quiet and easier, causing a tendency to lower prices; but the pressure of yesterday was removed, though there were still plenty of sellers. There was little buying for shipment; the purchases being principally speculative, and very many due if settlements were made. It was generally understood that the parties who have engineered the corner in wheat are now out of it, but there were a few who professed to think that they have only retired pending a severe cross-examination from the other side, and will yet be heard from again on the re-direct. Hence the trade is nervous, and still unsettled. Seller July opened at $1.28½, and sample Club fell to $1.24½, and closed at $1.26½. Seller August sold at $1.23@1.26½, and seller the year at $1.17@1.19½. Seller the month closed at $1.26½; No. 2 spring saleable at about the same price. Cash sales were reported of 4,000 bu No. 1 spring at $1.26½; 3,000 bu do at $1.25; 5,000 bu do at $1.27½; 10,000 bu do at $1.27; 5,000 bu do at $1.26½; 10,000 bu do at $1.26½; 62,200 bu do at $1.25; 11,200 bu do at $1.24½; 10,000 bu do at $1.24½; 10,000 bu do at $1.23½; 10,000 bu do at $1.23. Total, 159,200 bu.

Corn was active, but averaged 1c lower, being quoted active in New York, and weak in Liverpool, while many selling orders were received from the country, the weather being considered more favorable for the growing crops. The latter fact made the market weak early, but at the decline the short interest took hold freely and stiffened prices. There was not much buying for shipment, as freight room was scarce; most of that engaged in corn being on board propellers. The great element of weakness in corn now is the expectation of large receipts. Dealers think that oats will "let up" now for a while, and that we may count on 1,000 car loads of corn per day before long. Seller July opened at 44½, declined to 43½, and closed at 43¾@44c. Seller August sold at 43¾@44c, closing at 43¾@44c. Seller last half of August sold at 46c; and seller September at 47½@48c. Seller the month closed at 45½c. Cash sales were reported of 7,200 bu No. 2 at 43c; 27,200 bu do at 43½c; 156,800 bu do at 43½c; 20,000 bu do at 43¾c; 156,800 bu do at 44c; 79,400 bu do at 44½c; 400 bu yellow at 44c; 20,000 bu rejected at 38½c; 6,800 bu do at 38c; 1,200 bu no grade at 35c; 800 bu do at 34c; 2,000 bu do at 29c. Total, 360,000 bu.

Oats were more active and a shade easier, but very steady—remarkably so, considering the violent excitement through which the market has passed. The discordant element being withdrawn, the pressure has been relaxed, receipts are smaller, and prices have receded to a point where shippers can take hold with a fair prospect of profit. A good many oats are held here outside of the Chandler combination, but the bulk of the stocks in new places, and are principally offered for shipment. The Chandler oats are not yet offered extensively on the market, but buyers are rather nervous in view of the fact that those oats may be thrown upon the market at any time, and in such volume as to seriously depress prices. The shorts filled in to-day to a fair extent, and some of the lots bought were intended to be tendered to the firm of Chandler, Pomeroy & Co., in the hope of obtaining at least a portion of the difference when the matter is settled up—which may take some time to do. Seller the month sold at 43½@43¾c; seller July at 31½@32c, and seller August at 29@29½c. Cash sales were reported of 24,000 bu (fresh receipts) at 31c; 36,000 bu at 30½c; 56,000 bu at 30¾c; 600 bu rejected at 28½c; 600 bu do at 29c. Total, 156,200 bu.

Rye was lifeless, but quoted weak, in the absence of buyers. No. 2 or No. 1 would bring 56@56c.

Barley was inactive and nominally unchanged, at 69@76c for No. 2, and 62c for No. 3. Sales were limited to 600 bu by sample at 80c.

LATER.

In the afternoon provisions were inactive. Grain was active, but weak, under the reported decline in Liverpool. Sales on the call to-day at $1.26; 40,000 bu do at $1.25½; 10,000 bu seller August at $1.25½; 5,000 bu do at $1.25; 5,000 bu do at $1.24½; 10,000 bu do at $1.24; 110,000 bu corn, seller July 43½c; 10,000 bu seller August at 43¾c; 20,000 bu do at 44c; 25,000 bu do at 44½c; 5,000 bu seller September at 46½c; 5,000 bu do at 46½c; 45,000 bu oats at 34½c; 10,000 bu do at 34¾c; 10,000 bu do at 35c; 2,000 bu seller July at 31½c; 5,000 bu seller August at 29½c; 5,000 bu seller July at 31½c; 5,000 bu seller August at 29½c.

The following were the closing prices on the call:

	Bid.	Asked.
Mess pork, cash or seller June	$9.12 00	$9.12 50
Mess pork, seller July	9.25	9.30
Mess pork, seller August	9.37½	9.42½
Mess pork, seller December	10.00	10.05
Lard, cash or seller the month	6.62½	6.70
Wheat, cash or seller June	1.25½	1.26
Wheat, seller July	1.24½	1.25
Wheat, seller August	1.23½	1.24
Wheat, seller the year	1.17½	1.19
Corn, cash or seller June	43½	43¾
Corn, seller July	43½	43¾
Corn, seller August	43½	43¾
Corn, seller September	46	46½
Corn, seller the year		36½
Oats, cash or seller June	30½	30¾
Oats, seller July	31½	31¾
Oats, seller August	29	29½

CHICAGO DAILY MARKET.

THURSDAY EVENING, June 20.

BUTTER—Trade was dull, and the general market was weak and unsettled. Neither the local nor shipping demands were very considerable, and prices, without being quotably lower, were irregular, as follows: Strictly choice dairy at 12@12½c; fair to good grades at 12@14c; inferior to common grades, 10@11c.

BAGGING—Prices were firm for grain bags, but were easy for other goods in the line. The sales of the week were active, for the season. We quote: Stark, 26½c; Conestoga, 23½c; Philadelphia, 28c; Ludlow, 29c; Lawrence, 28c; Amerioan, 26c; Royal River, 27c; burlaps bags, 21@22c; grain bags, 18@19c; do double, 26c; wool sacks, 65@70c.

BUILDING MATERIALS—The market was active, but lower prices—from $2.75@3 to $2.50. New York stucco casting, $1.75@4 00; superfine do, $4.00@4.50; cement, $1.75; Rosendale cement, $3.00@3.25; marble, dust, $4.50; lime in bulk, $1.25; waste sand, $1.50@2.00; plastering hair, $3.25@3.50; fire brick, $15.00@16.00; building brick, $8.00@11.00; fire clay, $4.00@5.00 per brl. The following are the list prices per box of 50 feet for domestic window glass, for which a deduction of 35 per cent is made by dealers:

	First Double-Quality.	Second Strength.
11x14 to 12x18	$ 7.50	$12.00
14x16 to 16x20	8.00	13.00
14x22 to 16x24	8.75	14.00
16x22 to 18x30	9.25	15.50
18x22 to 20x30	10.00	16.00
20x26 to 24x30	10.25	17.00
16x34 to 26x40	11.00	20.50
24x30 to 26x40	11.50	21.00
26x46 to 30x60	14.00	24.50
30x26 to 32x52		25.50
30x46 to 32x60	17.00	27.50
34x36 to 34x60		31.00
36x46 to 40x60		34.00

BROOMS—Trade continues dull at former figures: $30.00@35.00 per dozen for parlor; green stock: $75.00@120.00 per ton; hurl, $150.00@160.00; and brush, $100.00@120.00.

BEANS—Market dull and nominal at light character, but quotations ruled steady at $2.50@2.75 for fair to choice medium, and $2.75@3.00 for navy.

BRICK—Market dull, with a fair supply, but were in poor condition and very few offering. Strawberries plenty and prices lower. Gooseberries very low at any price. Sales 20 cases raspberries at 18c, 15 cases at 17c, 3 cases at 16c, 5 cases at 6c; 300 cases do. Jos. Strawberries at 10c; 395 cases at 9½c, 85 cases at 9c, 180 cases at 8½c; 3,000 cases at 8c, 50 cases at 7c. 44 cases at 6c, 30 cases at $1 25 26 cases at $1 00, 20 cases Ontarra at 8c, 10 cases at 6c, 20 cases Indiana at 6c; 40 bu assorted cherries at $1.00, 5 bu at 80c.

GREEN FRUITS—New apples in fair request (Jennings light. Sales to boxes (1 bu) new apples at $1.50@2.00.

CHEESE—Nothing new was developed in the market for this staple. The demand was light, and the offerings were moderate for the time of year; quotations ruled steady at 8½@9c for factory; 7½@8c for Western factory; new, 11@12c; Western factory, new, 9@12c.

COAL—Prices were without change, save for Spiegel Lehigh, which is now selling at $9.00@9.50. There was a light demand at the annexed quotations: Scranton, $8.00; Lehigh requested, $8.00@9.00; Lackawanna, $8.00; Erie, $9.00; Briar Hill, $8.00; Wabash Hill, $9.00; Cherry Mine, $8.00; Blossburg, $8.00; Hocking, $6.00; Youghiogheny, $8.50; Minonk, $6.50; Wilmington, $6.00.

CANNED GOODS—A fair business was doing in this new account, but the local demand was in considerable. Prices remain nominally unchanged, ranging as follows:

Peaches, 3 lb	$2.15@2.50
Peaches, 2 lb	1.85@2.00
Pears, 2 lb	1.75@1.80
Plums, Damsons, 2 lbs	1.60@1.65
Plums, green gages, 2 lb	1.60@1.65
Plums, blue, 2 lb	1.40@1.45
Quinces, 2 lb	1.60@1.65
Strawberries, 3 lb	3.10@3.25
Raspberries, 2 lb	2.50@2.65
Blackberries, 2 lb	2.25
Pineapples, 2 lb	2.00
Tomatoes, 2 lb	1.75@1.80
Tomatoes, 3 lb	2.00@2.50
Corn, 2 lb	1.50
Peas, 2 lb	2.00@2.25
Lima beans, 2 lb	2.00@2.10
Succotash, 2 lb	1.75
Lobster, 2 lb	3.15
Lobster, 1 lb	2.10
Oysters, 2 lb, gallon	1.75
Oysters, 1 lb	1.25
Coffee, 2 lb	1.75

COFFEE—Trade was quiet and prices were easy: Pork barrels, $1 25@1 40; half barrels, $1 00@1 10; kits, 60@70c; 2 gallon kegs, 50@60c; 1 gallon kegs, 30@35c; stoves and headings, $70.00@80.00 per M; pork barrels, flour staves, $6.50@9.00; circle flour staves, $8.00@9.00; sugar hoop staves, $12.00@16.00 per M; pork and tierce poles, $25.00@30.00 per M; whiskey barrel staves, $22.00@28.00 per M.

BERRIES—In good supply and prices lower; small black almost unsaleable. Sales 25 cases sour at 10c, 15 cases at 9c, 10 cases small black at 8c, 10 cases at 7c, 10 bu at 80c, 20 bu at 75c, 10 bu at 50c, 16 bu damaged at $2.50, 15 cases sweet at 12½c, 15 cases do, at 14c.

CURRANTS—In moderate supply and ruled steady. Sales were reported at $2.00 per case; 4 cases at 8c; 2 cases at 10c.

EGGS—Sold to a light extent at 11@12c per doz, a fair demand for fresh and packed. Stocked are now coming in freely. This is what has induced so many to visit Europe this season, and place 3 cents miles of water between them and the Stock Exchange. These travelers are only a small portion of the great crowds of people who are flocking to Europe from all parts of the United States. On the other hand, it appears that in some of the Europeans visit the wealthy people are becoming tired of the fashionable summer-tour than in interesting parts of the world. In Berlin, one of the principal topics of conversation is the city is a pleasant excursion of wealthy Berliners to the United States. The excursion is to believe all arranged, and the party, some sixty or seventy in number, are to leave Berlin in the middle of July, and will remain in the principal cities of the United States before they return. It is probable this may be the first of parties of wealthy citizens of other European countries. We regard this as the beginning of an era of more intelligent information in Europe in regard to the society and resources of the United States, and particularly of the West. Chicago, which the London Times lately designated as the real seat of the Mississippi Valley, will, of course be one of the principal points of attraction. European tourists will here have an opportunity to witness with wonder the building of a city on a scale, of which their experience gives no hint of idea; scenes which ever exceed anything instanced in the history of the world. Those in Chicago history when some despotic king commanded millions of slaves to build here or there a city as the mere whim of the moment dictated. Here, in the United States a city once established, it will allow of European capital the vast and attractive fields for new and profitable enterprises afforded by the West, and will result in drawing European capital more freely to this country to build new railroads, open mines of coal, iron and the precious metals, stimulating industry and enterprise of every kind.

STOCKS NOW AND A YEAR AGO.

Owing to the flight of New York speculators above referred to, it is lost that as far as speculation is concerned, the situation is very different from what it was a year ago. At that time the money kings of Wall street were busily engaged in getting up stocks to the case of the Lake Shore, which, notwithstanding its pecuniary condition now than then, is now quoted at from 80 to 85, against 93 then—just as the bulk of the Western railroads are now, as merchants iron required for the railways of two years ago.

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IS IT A DEMOCRATIC VICTORY?

The Grant organs try hard to assume that Mr. Greeley has no considerable support among Republicans, and that his election is to be effected so largely by Democrats as to amount to a Democratic victory. Is the ratification of the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, and Fifteenth Amendments, as declared in the first and second clauses of the Cincinnati Platform, a victory of Democratic principles? Is it not rather a victory of Republican principles, since these amendments were passed by a strict Republican vote? Is Universal Amnesty a triumph of Democratic principles? Certainly, Republicans like Greeley, Chase, and Gerrit Smith, first advocated it. Is the subordination of the military to the civil power a Democratic principle? If so, the Republican principle must be that the army is to rule the country. We might infer as much from the words of one of the Grant campaign songs, which run:

U. S. A. for Government.
U. S. N. for Armament.
The Civil for Defense.
Four years more.

The Grant party may sing itself hoarse in praise of the United States Army as a Government, but the American people will not soon get over their prejudice in favor of the Constitutional Government by Congress, instead of the army. Reform of the Civil Service has not been heretofore a Democratic principle. It has been favored by some Democrats, but has been agitated by the speakers of Rhode Island, Mr. Trumbull, and other Republicans. The eighth section of the Cincinnati Platform denounces repudiation and demands a sacred maintenance of the public credit. If this is a Democratic principle, disputed by the Republican party, then Republicans generally must favor repudiation.

In short, not a single principle is embodied in the Cincinnati Platform whose success would amount to a "Democratic victory," as the phrase would have been construed in any former campaign.

Is it in the Cincinnati candidates, then, that this much-dreaded "Democratic victory" is to be found? They are both old line Abolitionists and formers of the Republican party. Neither of them ever voted the Democratic ticket, while Grant never voted any other. How can a "Democratic victory" mean thereby a victory of those buried Democratic principles which Republicans have heretofore regarded as dangerous, result from the election of Republicans who have always opposed those principles, on a platform which declares them forever abandoned.

Certainly, if the Cincinnati Platform had been adopted by the Philadelphia Convention, and Greeley and Brown nominated thereon, no Republican living would have perceived the shadow of a shade of Democracy or danger in Platform or candidates.

The "Democratic victory," to be won by electing Greeley and Brown must consist, then, in the fact that more Democrats than Republicans promise to vote for them. But, if Platform and ticket are in themselves sound, safe, and trustworthy, can they be made rotten and dangerous by the fact that Democrats vote for them? Republicans alone are to blame if they allow Democrats to have the largest ticket in electing a sounder Republican party than Grant is of Platform, than the Grant party have raised. We concede that the Democratic support for Greeley is exceedingly unanimous. But this forms no reason whatever why his Republican support should not be equally strong. Nor is there any proof that it will not be. Every day add to Greeley's strength thousands of Republican votes. We judge from our correspondence and personal knowledge that in addition to the declared "Liberals," from a third to half of the remainder of the Republican party are "on the fence," or seriously comparing the merits of Greeley and Grant in a manner that can end in but one conclusion,—to the decision of a Judge and the verdict of a jury, according to the laws of the land. The laws that He makes shall will accept law from no other. So far as the Government of the United States is concerned, I am its enemy. I have trod under foot the haunting lie a hundred times, and I can and will do it again. They are no friends of mine, or of my country—they are no friends of liberty.

What's the difference between these people! Grant's a soldier, a sort of fool, but he loves his friends, sticks to his kin, his kith. (Laughter.) But Greeley loves nobody—don't even love his wife, and is a woman's rights man. He is a woman's rights man, and I wouldn't vote for him for that, if for no other reason. "That's what's the matter with Hannah."

That's a good speech for Grant.

The Grant organs are getting indignant at Greeley's success in "packing" Conventions, and are furious that every meeting called to defeat him, in fact indorses him. The same trouble will probably continue until November, when the friends of Greeley will pack every precinct with voters, and actually elect him by mere force of numbers. Every effort to arrest the tide of popular feeling in his favor has failed; and, from all classes of men, Abolitionists, Secessionists, Union and Confederate soldiers, Republicans and Democrats, whites and blacks, there is the same ever-increasing purpose to elect Honest Horace Greeley President of the United States. The packing business will continue until the polls close in November.

Mr. Colfax's speech at South Bend will recall the remark made by Mr. Lincoln, under somewhat similar circumstances, after the Senatorial contest with Douglas, in 1858. The result being known, a friend asked Mr. Lincoln how he felt about it, and the answer was: "I feel just like the boy who, in running, stumped his toe; he was too big to cry, and the thing hurt too bad to let him laugh." Mr. Colfax, of course, has no tears for the result; but, nevertheless, he does not feel disposed to be hilarious.

A number of respectable Methodist clergymen in the neighborhood of Cincinnati have held a meeting, in which they declare that the Reverend Cramer, General Grant's brother-in-law, who is Minister at Copenhagen, is not a drinking or otherwise disreputable person; and they expect the people to accept their judgment as final. There is a question which precedes that of Cramer's personal conduct, and that is, that he was appointed because he was Grant's brother-in-law, and that, were he not a brother-in-law, he never would have been appointed. The fact that he was appointed solely because of his relationship, is one of those disgraceful things which, were he not a Methodist minister, would have justly provoked the indignation of those who now volunteer to whitewash his character.

If it will give the Albany *Evening Journal* any pleasure to know the truth, we inform it that THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE does not concede the Electoral vote of Illinois to Grant. On the contrary, we expect that the Greeley Electoral ticket and the Greeley ticket for State officers will be elected in this State; that a majority of the Greeley candidates for Congress will be elected; and that the friends of Mr. Greeley will elect a majority of both branches of the Legislature, thus securing the United States Senator. We hope the Albany *Journal* will find comfort in the assurance that things are as bad for Grant elsewhere as they are in New York; and that, when the revolution is general, it ceases to have any mere local reflection.

A melancholy Irishman has written to one of the English reviews the story of his wrongs. He came to America to "better himself," induced thereto by glowing accounts of high wages. He receives, in dollars and cents, about one-and-a-half times as much as he did at home. His house-rent is $700, instead of $120. His boots cost $6, and last just one-third the time of English ones, worth $4. He pays 25 cents, instead of 6, for getting his hair cut; and his best hat costs him $10, instead of $3.25. His whole list of items is a constant illustration of the depressing effect of Protection upon the wages of Labor. He says: "Protective duties are robbing the working classes; enriching a few manufacturers; and injuring the character of American manufactures almost beyond remedy. The Cry of Cheap would be a welcome sound, were it not a sham to a reality. The purchasing power of a dollar would reach its real value. One dollar would then be better than three dollars now." We commend to manual workers this testimony of one of themselves against the iniquitous system which, under the pretence of protecting American Labor, is putting it more and more in the power of grinding monopolies.

A too-inquisitive doctor, in Dublin, has been analyzing specimens of the whiskey sold in various shops in that city. One sample was heavily adulterated with Cayenne pepper, naphtha, and vitriol; another was almost pure naphtha, slightly colored by a little real whiskey; another contained oxalic acid; and another was made of Cayenne pepper, bluestone, vitriol, and spirits of wine. The cost of this last compound was about one penny a gallon. The profit on it can be imagined. It has been suggested, and with a good deal of reason, that the high taxes on all alcoholic fluids are largely responsible for these fearful adulterations. In many cases the "doctored" article is much more expensive than the genuine would be if untaxed. The permanent insanity which often results from continued drunkenness is probably mainly due to these fiery compounds of unwholesome drugs. It is certainly unfair to charge the products of barley, hops, and the vine, with causing all the evils for which naphtha, vitriol, Cayenne pepper, and oxalic acid are so largely responsible.

"Can God be glorified," asks the *Christian Examiner*, of Richmond, Va., "or Christ honored and His cause advanced, by such abominable games as smut, euchre, seven-up, and old-maid, the very names of which female modesty should blush to pronounce?" Rev. George Harding, editor of the Indianapolis *Journal*, replies: "We presume not. However, there are many worse things that Christians may do than play cards. Seven-up is a scientific game, useful in the discipline of the mind. What inculcates the virtue of silence. Euchre teaches principles which may be practically adapted to every-day life; for instance, the folly of attempting to go it alone on a weak hand." We commend these somewhat sensible views to the careful attention of the *Christian Examiner*. Its question is about on a par with the argument that runs: "A dying sinner would not play billiards on his death-bed. Then shun the seductive game forever."

The *Woman's Journal* of last Saturday prophesies of the coming time, when the advent of woman shall bring into the canvass the amenities of the drawing-room. It contains a letter from London, recounting the doings of a woman suffrage meeting there. Miss Rhoda Garrett, whose speech "sparkled with epigrams and clever phrases," commented "acidly" on "an old prefogy" who had refused to believe in the prefogy who had refused to believe in the proposed reform. Mrs. Garrett's speech was "a close piece of reasoning, enlivened by delicate humor." After stating truths of a member of Parliament, she said, "with a superb expression of disdain," that "this sweet, gushing child of Nature was Mr. Vernon Harcourt." She then attacked another man "in an equally caustic vein." It is easy to imagine the refining effect of these "amenities of the drawing-room" on an ordinary caucus.

The Chicago *Times* has been annihilating Greeley for several weeks by calling him "Doctor," and still the Democrats of all parts of the country are sending delegates to Baltimore instructed to vote for the man whom the *Times* has killed several times daily for several weeks. The particular wit or sarcasm covered by the term "Doctor" has not been appreciated; nobody laughs, nobody seems to know what it means, and the poor joke has become hugely stale. A delegate in the Minnesota Democratic Convention expressed the sentiments of his party in that State by announcing that, if any delegate from Minnesota to Baltimore should trade Horace Greeley out of the nomination, he might expect to be hanged upon his return to Minnesota. The Convention indorsed the sentiment, having failed to understand what the Chicago *Times* means by calling Greeley "Doctor."

The Grant Committee, at Washington, have prepared a large number of editorials, and printed them on broadsides, and sent them to all the Grant organs in the country. This will explain, to some extent, the uniformity of the editorials in those papers. The Peoria *Review*, which supports Greeley, thus acknowledges the receipt of a package of the documents:

> We are in receipt of a printed sheet of ready-made anti-Greely editorials and anti-Greeley extracts, addressed to the *Review*, under the frank of Congressman J. H. Platt. The sender evidently has mistaken the address. We are not in that boat. Better try the *Organ* on the corner of Washington and Fulton streets.

The Grant organs in this city are going through the package, and will have them all printed by September.

The ghostly apparitions on window-panes, which caused such consternation last fall in California and Utah, are now making their *debut* before French and German audiences. According to the *Journal des Debats*, they have created such an excitement throughout Alsace-Lorraine that in many villages agriculture and manufactures have been totally neglected. The simple peasants are absorbed in studying what they think to be direct messages from Heaven. The superstition has been fostered by the countenance of the more ignorant clergy, who are also devout believers in these sermons in window-panes.

Mr. Walker, of Sydney, Australia, answered an advertisement for a clerk. He was accepted, and directed to meet, at a certain wharf, on the next evening, his employer, who would take him in a boat to his place of business. He went, and never came back. The vigilant search of the police resulted in the discovery of two scoundrels, who had been making a regular business of advertising for clerks, decoying the applicants into a boat, suffocating them, and sinking their bodies, with heavy weights attached, into the sea. These professional murderers will ply their trade no more. Judge and jury united in hastening forward the good work of putting them to death.

Senator Morton made a rousing speech at Muncie, Ind., yesterday, and was received with great enthusiasm. His health is much better than last year, and he will render effective service in addressing the masses during the present canvass.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

Senator Morton made a rousing speech at Richmond, Ind., a short time ago, which, if he would now repeat, would produce a sensation. He then insisted that negroes were not fit to be trusted with the ballot, and that, if they were, they would so degrade the States where they voted that no decent white man, certainly no Indianian, would live there. Cannot he be induced to repeat that speech?

Disappointed men charge the editors of Iowa with having made a "corner" in Congressional nominations, and parcelled them out among themselves. Those aspiring journalists ought to be satisfied with the coming election of two editors as President and Vice President, without trying to fill Congress with members of the same craft.

General Sickles is said to have returned from Madrid, in order to help Grant to secure a re-election. Dr. Houard, not being able to help on that good cause, has not returned from Madrid. He still lies in a Spanish dungeon.

POLITICAL.

The Champaign (Ill.) *Union* does not hoist the name of Joseph G. Cannon as the Republican nominee for Congress, in the Fourteenth District, but gives prominence to "letters from the people" representing bitter discontent that Colonel James W. Langley was cheated out of the nomination.

—The Mount Vernon *Free Press* nominates William G. Bowman, of Shawneetown, for Lieutenant Governor, on a ticket with Palmer.

—The Republican Convention of the Fourth (Farnsworth's) District will be held at Elgin, next Thursday, 27th, and be composed of 47 delegates. With the McHenry (8) and Kane (13) delegations Mr. Farnsworth will lack only three votes of a majority, and these votes appear to have been found, for the Sycamore *Republican* says:

> Letters from Kane County state that Farnsworth's friends assert that if Harrice Kane be elected in instances that three of the delegates from DeKalb County will refuse to be governed by the instructions of the County Convention, and will give him their votes. DeKalb County will be interested to know who sold them out.

—The Toledo *Blade*, one of whose editors has within a month attained a Federal office, says:

> Were there two Postoffices in each town, and two Assessors, Collectors, &c., in each district, would not half have been forgotten and grievances in the Republican party. It is the disaffected ones who are making the suggestion of a distribution that we are now feeling.

One office, therefore, seems to be enough for the *Blade* people.

—The Michigan Republicans must now be sufficiently aware of the fact that Senator Alfred B. Wood, of East Saginaw, and Senator Byron D. Ball, of Grand Rapids, are picked out for the places of Lieutenant-Governor and Attorney General, respectively, and would like to know what further nominations the editorial syndicate have in store for them.

—The San Francisco *Chronicle* says there will be an entire change in California Congressmen, and names C. B. Denio, Nathan Porter, John F. Swift, and William Sears, as actively at work for places on the Administration ticket.

—Hiester Clymer, of Berks County, succeeds William A. Wallace as Chairman of the Pennsylvania Democratic State Committee. Mr. Wallace was retired because not believed to be sufficiently sound on the Greeley question.

—General Milo Hascall and ex-Governor Paris C. Dunning, distinguished Republicans in Indiana, have declared for Greeley. So also has Major John H. Cravens, one of the electors on the Grant ticket. In this connection we quote the following from the Terre Haute *Gazette*, a Liberal Republican paper:

> The other day Grant's office-holders and Postmasters met in Convention in the Third Congressional District, at North Vernon, in this State, and delegates were appointed to Congress, and, of course, it was expected that Major John H. Cravens, one of the Electors on the Grant ticket, and who would be the Grant man, as he is known to be one of the best speakers in the State. Instead of the Major, however, in his own person, making his appearance, he became a letter from him withdrawing his name as an Elector from the Grant State ticket, and declaring himself in favor of Greeley and Brown.

—The Democracy of the Fifth Ohio District have nominated Charles N. Lamison for re-election to Congress, and appointed Greeley delegates to Baltimore.

—The Malcom *Commercial*, which THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE a few days ago claimed as being for Greeley and Brown, indignantly denies the charge.—*Brass Collar.*

When?

—The Administration retires from the field in West Virginia. The Wheeling *Intelligencer* says:

> It is now understood that no Republican nominations for State officers will be made. The Republican Executive Committee, who held a meeting at Parkersburg last week, determined on a policy of "masterly inactivity," except as to the Congressional nominations. They will be allowed in the matter of State officers to vote for whom they please; or not to vote at all, if they prefer.

—The Concord (New Hampshire) *Daily Monitor*, the Republican organ of that State, thus editorializes on June 17:

> FOR PRESIDENT, ULYSSES S. GRANT, OF ILLINOIS.
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> FOR VICE PRESIDENT, HENRY WILSON, OF MASSACHUSETTS.
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> But there is one Democratic State which looms up like a pillar of fire in the general darkness. That is Delaware. Her Democracy have stood by the old paths, without a shadow of turning. Brave, little Delaware! There is pluck for you the Democracy of the other States may haul down their flag, and surrender it into the hands of their old enemy as soon as they please. But on the altars of the descendants of the "Blue Hen's Chickens," the fires of the pure and unadulterated Democracy of the Dred Scott decision shall burn brightly as in the days of Pierce and Buchanan. They accept the results of the war; they give up the idea of this being "a white man's government;" they sustain an old Abolitionist like Horace Greeley to beat Grant! No, never! They stood by the cradle of the slave Democracy, and they are willing to stand by its grave.

—J. E. Dromgoole, of Murfreesboro, announces himself a candidate for Congressman at Large from Tennessee.

—The Administration men named as candidates for Governor of Missouri are ex-Senator John B. Henderson, John F. Benjamin, Gustavus A. Finkelnberg, and Robert J. Van Horn.

—The Syracuse *Standard* states that the Hon. Milo Goodrich, Member of Congress from the Twenty-sixth District, is an advocate of the Cincinnati Platform and candidates, and is sustained in this position by many of the leading Republicans of his District.

—The Hon. Henry D. McHenry, of Kentucky, is not a candidate for re-election to Congress, withdrawing in favor of John Young Brown, whose disabilities have now been removed.

—General Harry White and General Lemuel Todd, candidates for Congress at Large, both withdraw from the Hartranft ticket in Pennsylvania.

—General Jubal Early has written a characteristic letter, in which he declares hostility to Grant, and Colonel McClure, and all his friends. It seems to us that after seven years of peace there is not much excuse for such personal and political bitterness, but there are no doubt a great many men in the South who cherish the same resentments that General Early does, and who under no circumstances will vote for Greeley.—*Baltimore American.*

—The Indiana Republican State Committee will be in session to-day, at Indianapolis, to nominate for Congress-at-Large, and the choice is said to be between General Benjamin Spooner and William Williams. The following in this connection, explains itself:

> To the Editor of the Indianapolis *Journal*:
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> While gratefully appreciating the political and personal record which has commended my name with the nomination for Congressman-at-Large, its acceptance, for many reasons, would be utterly impossible. SCHUYLER COLFAX.

—Jo. Hawley, who has now gone to Europe, said in the Hartford *Courant*:

> We shall consider ourselves fortunate if we get through the campaign without witnessing the production of affidavits that Grant was never actually in command of our troops at all.

Did General Hawley intend to convey the inference that proof of *alibi* may be very important to Grant?

—The Louisville *Ledger*, (Bourbon Democrat,) now recommends the Baltimore Convention to adopt ten paragraphs of Greeley's letter for a platform, and nominate Greeley if it cannot get a straight Democrat to stand.

A NEW AVENUE OF TRADE.

The Chicago & Pacific Railway.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

It would almost seem a superfluity to add another railroad to the many which radiate from Chicago. Without moralizing, I, as a faithful chronicler of events, give the facts which to Chicago trade and general prosperity are all of importance. East and West roads pay best. Now, although there are several which pass through the Fox and Rock River Valleys, yet, in the language of street-cars, "There is room for one more," viz.: The Chicago & Pacific, which, contrary to the experience of most roads, will have no infancy, if that term is allowed us.

A gentleman connected with this enterprise has given me the following facts, which, for obvious reasons, have been withheld from the general public; but, the necessity for secrecy having passed, I am at liberty to give them to your readers.

The road will lead from Chicago westward to Elgin, as direct as may be. Many beautiful locations for additional suburbs to the Great Metropolis will be selected, traversed, and opened up. Over this part of the road light passenger trains are to run every hour in the day. The first work (to commence next week) will be done on the site for the bridge at Fox River. The iron, and even the engines needed, are now in Chicago, and the money to build and supply all necessary rolling stock is there also, ready for use at any moment.

The road will go west, as near as may be, between the two branches of the Northwestern, and sticks Rock River at Byron, and proceed by way of Torreston to Savanna, on the Mississippi. That part of De Kalb, Ogle, and Stephenson Counties, through which this road will pass, is the most fertile, the best cultivated, and richest part of Northern Illinois. Stillman Valley, so named after General Stillman, who met such an ingloious defeat in this valley during the Black Hawk war—settled by a very energetic people, mostly of Yankee stock. They have become rich by farming and minding their own business. The reason why this country has not been traversed by the iron bands ere this, is because the people have several times been betrayed and "sold out." But now they are strong enough to take matters into their own hands, and aid in building this road and improving their waterpower.

At Byron, on Rock River, is one of the best of all the water-powers on that favored stream. This is to be improved immediately. Your correspondent has seen a copy, in sight of the covenant-articles of incorporation, and, when I give you the names attached, you will readily acknowledge that they are worthy of all confidence. They represent some of the wealthiest men in Chicago and on the route: Colonel Hough, George and Chauncy P. Bowen, Thomas S. Hubbell, and Messrs. Fox and Wilcox, of Chicago; Pease and Wilcox, of Elgin; and George Youngs, of Ogle County. These gentlemen have each deposited $5,000 as an earnest of their good faith in the "Rock River Hydraulic Company." All of these names are also interested as stockholders in the Chicago & Pacific Railway, and with them, of course, those in no small degree. D. Kalb County will be interested to know who sold them out.

It ought to have been mentioned above that the right of way into Chicago *is secured by bill*, which has been signed by Mayor Medill.

When the rumor of the forming of this Company first reached Stillman Valley, it was then surmised that the Illinois Central would use its part between Forreston and Chicago, and so form a most formidable competitor for the Galena Branch of the Northwestern; but of this your correspondent has no positive information. C. W. M.

Why?

BOURBON, Ind., June 17.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

Many Republicans in this vicinity are now anxiously inquiring into political affairs, and are very earnest in desiring to know why it is, if one of the old "wheelhorses" of Republicanism dares to ask as to the probability of Grant's dishonesty and corruption, said to be so notorious in this Government, that he is at once called, by the great army of office-holders in his party, all that is treacherous and vile, a friend to blood-hearted rebels, and an enemy to his country.

Many of us wish to know why it is that nothing that is not every way laudatory of Grant and his Administration can be published in the papers, that the full force of resentment from pretended Republicans being aroused. Any one that doubts, ever so mildly, "His Excellency" perfect infallibility, is a blood-thirsty villain, and has committed the unpardonable sin. And why, long before Grant's renomination, was perfect fealty to him, and him President, made a test of true Republicanism by the whippers-in of the party?

If the great Republican party is the ready champion of every honest reform, why does it ignore such hearty encouragers, and breaking cliques and corrupt rings, that are sapping the very life of our nation, and casting reproach on the Republican form of government?

If it advocates honest reform and true economy in Government, why excuse incompetence, ignorance, neglect of disreputable faculties, and vice in its officials; and, if public opinion or opposing parties force it to make a show of investigation of notorious evils, why ignore; pigeon-hole, and, by false reports, exonerate its criminal servants to the infinite disgust of all honest men?

Why does it refuse to punish the hordes of defaulters, robbers, and villains in office, when detected, instead of offering pardons and office as rewards to utter contempt of it?

If the nation is safe in its hands, why have the current expenses of government increased, since its accession to power, from $60,000,000 to $150,000,000; and the State indebtedness from 40 to 100 fold, without corresponding benefit,—pensions and interest being deducted in both instances.

Why are favoritism and blood-relationship made a test of official preferment? Why does it allow its President and other high officials to violate law with impunity, and, if attention is called to it, do all in its power to crush and disgrace the accuser, instead of rebuking and punishing the offender?

Why does it pretend to wish for laws it could very easily have passed since its accession to power? Instead of resolving in National Convention that it approves of their passage, why hasn't it passed them?

Why does it appoint to high office notorious rascals, and allow them to draw $10,000 salaries, but refuse to discharge the duties they were paid to attend to, and then publicly indorse such dishonesty by electing the corrupt, swindling officials to preside over the National Convention? Why is it that this once honorable party encourages the squandering of public money, as witnessed in the transactions of the different departments of Government, without rebuke?

Why is the President allowed to desert his responsible post of duty, and loaf and dissipate at fashionable resorts with perfect impunity? If a private soldier were he to so desert, he would be summarily court-martialed and shot, and the world would approve of the sentence. Why cannot this noble old party reform all these abuses and corruptions that are killing it and disgracing the entire country, instead of partially attempting to smother all investigation and necessary reform?

Will not every honest Republican closely investigate every charge of abuse of power brought against his party, and if satisfied of their correctness, cast all prejudice aside, and hold the corruptionists to a strict accountability for the wrongs committed, and refuse to support such villains, even though it be at the risk of being called a "Sore-head?"

Why can't we act on the principle, "Men are nothing. People everything," and refuse to be whipped into party traces, and compelled to support Grant, against our convictions of right, without discarding a particle of our Republican faith, and in the end certain victory of justice and equality over favoritism and corruption?

Why can't we all now honest old Republicans throw off the partisan yoke, refuse to be governed by a set of men calling themselves the party, and deliberate over all political matters calmly, impartially, justly, and form their own conclusions, unprejudiced by party,—then conscientiously and religiously act for themselves, as justice demands,—when fraud and corruption will be certain to receive its rebuke, beyond the power of all future resurrection of any kind.

A LIFE-LONG ABOLITIONIST AND REPUBLICAN.

The West Side Parks.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: Please permit me, through your columns, to call attention to the condition of the West Side parks under the charge of the Commissioners. At Central and Humboldt Parks, "things are lively," or are fast growing so. Their condition, and the rapidity of the improvements being made, are creditable to the Board. On the contrary, the condition of Douglas Park is a disgrace to every man having anything to do with it. The slight attempt to improve gives it a poverty-looking aspect, which is anything but an improvement on wild, raw prairie. The writer, on behalf of himself and others interested and paying taxes for the improvement of this work, would like to be informed why so much is being done on the other parks and nothing on this. FAIR PLAY.

CHICAGO, June 20.

A VISIT TO PARIS.

Aspect of the City—The Cabmen, Police, and Hotels.

American Sheddyites—Amusements—The Legislators at Versailles.

The French Have Forgotten Nothing, and Learned Nothing.

Correspondence of The Chicago Tribune.

LONDON, June 1.

I have just returned from a short visit to Paris. My last sojourn there was made about a year ago, immediately after the fall of the Commune. The interval has been productive of

MANY CHANGES.

Perhaps the most notable among these is the departure of the German troops from that part of the country through which the line of railway runs between Calais and the Capital. At Amiens and Creil, the two most important stations, the platforms were covered with German troops, who, by their demeanor, made it manifest that they were the masters. The way in which these hated foes were regarded by the French was a study in itself. The French tried to keep up a look of indifference; but, every now and then, a side-look of detestation, coupled with a muttered malediction, betrayed the real feelings of their hearts. There was something striking to a student of race in the physical characteristics of the two nationalities. The railway guard in his uniform, and the railway porter in his blouse, presented a remarkable contrast to the German soldiers on duty. The Frenchman was neat and natty in his attire, quick alike in action and speech, full of spirit and passion. The German was slovenly in dress and gait, heavy in look, slow in speech. But, though the externals of the latter were not prepossessing, it was impossible to avoid recognizing that the man was infinitely more powerful than his French neighbor; that the bone and muscle of the German were far in excess of those of the Frenchman; and that the one could easily crush the other by his weight alone.

So long as the foreigners remained in occupation of the place I have named, little or nothing was done to restore them to their condition before the war. Now, all is changed. The buffet, waiting-rooms, and the platform are in order again, and none but those endowed with unexceptionably keen vision can remark any traces of foreign occupation or hostile proceedings. The fields, too, along the line, are cultivated as formerly. No longer does the eye rest on crops of grain or vegetables which have rotted where they have grown, and which thus told an unmistakable tale of unavoidable misery and neglect. Approaching Paris, the signs of improvement are still more visible. Formerly the manufactories in the suburbs were silent, and their chimneys smokeless; now they are in active operation, and their chimneys emit volumes of black smoke. Here and there are the remains of trenches in which soldiers used to shelter themselves, and of mounds of earth thrown up to form batteries; but these are not numerous, in the city itself, as St. Louis are masses of men undergoing drill or performing military evolutions, and these have red trousers instead of the dark Prussian uniform. The black and white flag of Prussia, which used to wave over these forts, is replaced by the Tricolor. Indeed, where the Germans used to abound, and acted as if they had settled down and were resolved to make themselves thoroughly at home, a trace of them is not visible; and the French traveller, who used to explode with expletives, of which "barbarians" recurred most frequently, finds his other travelling companions, both French and foreign, gone; while the latter, for whom the spectacle was a curious one, almost regret the absence of a sight which relieved the monotony of the journey.

APPEARANCE OF PARIS.

To any one who ever saw Paris after the first or second siege, the most impressive alteration in the general appearance was the absence of cabs in the streets. At long intervals, an omnibus or a cab might be perceived, and these rare vehicles in the broad streets rendered the solitude the more marked. Most unpleasant of all was the difficulty of finding a conveyance to go to and from a railway station. When a cab was secured, the driver made demands which, through necessity, were generally granted. The extortionate cabmen have had their day, and have gone, let me hope, to share in the punishment awarded to Communists. The latter are often less guilty than the former. The supply of cabs is now so large that the cabmen are glad to get a fare, and are civil to him who secured. Next to this change is that produced by the appearance of the new police. It is the rule in France to have a new kind of police after every revolution. The Emperor had his sergeants de ville,—ruffians dressed in a uniform of cocked hats on their heads, swords by their sides, and knuckle-dusters in their pockets. When they won the credit of acting temperately, using their hands instead of their swords, they were actually smashing the skulls of the unarmed mob opposed to them, hence their hands were covered with those metal instruments which enable the user to deal a man with his fist. They went out with the Empire. The Government of the 4th of September decreed that henceforth the police should be comparatively unarmed. Hence they had a short stick, and for uniform a loose cloak, which had a very unmartial aspect. These men were never accused of doing any harm. They were chiefly remarkable for doing no good,—for biding themselves when their services were required. Certainly, a policeman who is qualifying himself by his inoffensive conduct for a vote of thanks from the Peace Society is not the right man in the right place. The Commune came, and these police were abolished. To National Guards was entrusted the duty of keeping the peace. As they were the chief disturbers of it, their duty consisted in behaving themselves. When Versailles conquered Paris, and when the National Guards were disbanded, a new police force had to be established. These men are equipped in a soldier's uniform, wearing a kepi on their heads, and carrying a long sword-bayonet at their sides. Their chassepot they have at the barracks, only carrying it when specially ordered. They are called "Agents of Public Security." The only fault which I have heard Frenchmen find with them is their designation, which is said to be misleading. They have not the character of being too ferocious or too pacific, and they are credited with that rare virtue in French functionaries, returning answers to civil questions. They do not offer themselves by walking about, for they generally stand for hours together on the same spot.

HOTELS AND HOTEL-KEEPERS.

The most convenient persons in Paris are the hotel proprietors. They are willing to admit that everything is as it should be at present. All they dread is a revolution which might again frighten away strangers. As it is, the difficulty they have to encounter is the crowd of visitors. Rooms are reoccupied the moment they are vacant. A traveller arriving without having engaged rooms beforehand will probably have to try at three or four places before he finds accommodations. Conspicuous among the visitors are the American citizens. They are very numerous on the Boulevard as in La Salle street. In the restaurants, they fill most of the tables, ordering the most expensive dishes, and drinking the dearest and the best wine as to make Frenchmen lift up their eyes and shrug their shoulders in amazement. I need hardly add that the majority do not, in any way, represent their people.

SHODDY AND PETROLEUM

prevail to the exclusion of manners and culture. The latter, or, at least, the female, section cannot be commended more than the rougher or masculine one. In a fashionable restaurant, I saw two ladies of no unprepossessing appearance or too advanced age, who were dressed in the most costly style, giving the lie to their appearance by constantly using their fingers when they ought to have used their forks. To the dressmakers these ladies pay literally princely fees. It is not the rule for French women to dress expensively at present. Madame Thiers has set the fashion of wearing the plainest and cheapest dresses; consequently, in the country, where the crowd follows their leaders with a docility unsurpassed, the crowd copy Madame Thiers. American ladies are not so easily dictated to. In the matter of dress, as in most other things, they will have their own way. The result is, that they appear in public wearing costumes which are far more showy and costly than becoming and in good taste.

AMUSEMENTS.

If I talk to any of my French friends, they assure me that Paris is at present in a state of mourning. They say that, so long as the state of siege lasts, the Parisians will continue to be downcast and dull, and that, so long as the Assembly sits at Versailles, the Parisians will feel hurt at the absence of confidence in their discretion and orderly demeanor. Appearances hardly bear out these statements. Whatever be the real sentiments of the Parisians, they are, to all outward appearance, as lively and light-hearted as ever. All the theatres are crowded, and the houses in which they play pieces in which there is a large spice of broad comedy, to say nothing of indecency, are the most frequented. Such reports as the Jardin Mabille overdone with frequenters. I am told that the performances there are far more decent than during the Empire. Those who say this must have a curious notion of what is free from objection, for anything more coarse and unbridled than the dancing which goes on there now it would be difficult to find. The French have made the discovery that the Prussians are as bad as themselves in one respect, and are delighted to be able to announce that the Parisians of Berlin are hypocrites. The information was brought by returned prisoners, who doubtless made the most, or rather the worst, of everything. I must admit that the Orpheum at Berlin is quite as objectionable as the Jardin Mabille at Paris, but this hardly proves as much as my French friends think. The latter will have to change greatly before they attain such a state of ideal morality as would qualify them for acting as the censors of their neighbors.

LEGISLATORS AT VERSAILLES.

The state of Versailles is quite as interesting to a visitor as that of Paris. The chief sights of the latter are its ruins, which remain as monuments of the most extraordinary civil war on record. At Versailles the chief sights are the Deputies, who, according to their own account, are regenerating France. These gentlemen, chiefly elderly and filled with prejudices, are passing a not disagreeable existence at the expense of a grateful country. The representatives of the rural districts form a body of men such as is not to be matched in Europe. Most of them are what are called good Catholics—that is, bigots, who are not willing enough to restore the Inquisition. They are firm believers in the Divine rights of certain persons to govern their fellows. One section swears by the Bourbon pretender, another by the Orleanist pretenders; there is a section that is ready to support M. Thiers as a sort of bulwark against the definitive establishment of the Republic; a fourth section has but one dread, the dissolution of the Assembly. All those I refer to, and who professedly belong to the party of order, unite in deploring a general election. They fear that the result would give the honest Republicans a majority; they also believe their own chances of re-election to be very small. To cease to be a Deputy is, in their eyes, the misfortune of the first magnitude. These men are, like the the provincial French in general, economists of the first water,—men whose great object in life is not to spend money. The expedients to which they will descend in order to save a franc are indicrous. In order to retain their pay of twenty francs a day, they would readily vote that black was white. Adjoining the Assembly is a buffet, arranged somewhat on the plan of a bar, at which a free lunch is spread. For the use of this buffet, the members of the Assembly are expected to contribute a small sum, the State paying the balance. The "rurals" decline to make any payment, while they are most assiduous in using the buffet; in fact, they take all their meals there. To be able to eat and drink gratis, and to receive twenty francs daily for voting with the majority, constitute, in the eyes of these Deputies, the acme of happiness; hence they will strive, as long as possible, to postpone the dissolution of the Assembly. I have learned, on good authority, the course which will probably be taken should Mr. Thiers either die or resign. The members of the majority have come to an understanding to offer the post to Marshal McMahon, believing that he will be able, by his popularity in the country, and his personal control of the army, to keep order, and hinder a Republican rising or Bonapartistic plots from succeeding. In politics McMahon is more of a Legitimist than a Bonapartist. For the Republic he has not the slightest sympathy. Whether this combination will ever be carried out, remains to be seen. Everything is possible in France. There is no country in which a prophet has a worse chance of acquiring fame. Governments succeed each other in France, and little is changed except the uniform of the police. The system which actuates affairs hardly varies. When an Emperor openly exercises personal power, he does much the same things as the President of the Republic. M. Thiers even issued orders for the seizure of the newspapers which contain articles distasteful to him. The other day, a pamphlet appeared with the title, "If M. Thiers Dies,"—being a discussion as to the next man that might be necessary; and this pamphlet was seized also. Indeed, the chief impression made upon me by this visit to Paris is, that the French have

FORGOTTEN NOTHING AND LEARNED NOTHING;

that they cannot estimate their own strength and weakness. After the lapse of a year, they are still trying by court-martial prisoners accused of being Communists. On evidence of the flimsiest sort, these prisoners are sentenced to death, and then, after having been kept for months in suspense as to their real fate, are suddenly told to come to the place of execution. Among the educated classes, I found the feelings toward these Communists as bitter and unrelenting as those of the natives of an Indian village toward the man-eating tiger who haunts the neighborhood. The poorer classes, on the other hand, regard every man who dies at Satory by the bullets of the soldiers as a martyr whom they ought to deify, and a brother whose death they

THE PROHIBITIONISTS.

THE LAW COURTS.

Undoubted Bankruptcy of the Knickerbocker Fire Insurance Company—A Raid on the City by Brooms-Legged People—Rubens Corpus Case—Circling Trusts—Suits in Assumpsit.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

THE KNICKERBOCKER INSURANCE COMPANY, OF CHICAGO.

A jury, under the direction of Judge Blodgett, is investigating the question whether the Knickerbocker Insurance Company of Chicago should or should not be adjudicated a bankrupt. The proceedings to that end in this case have been so complicated with contingencies that they have become interesting. On the 6th day of January, one Gardner P. Comstock, a grain dealer of Chicago, filed a petition for an adjudication against the company. That cause was at the next trial term continued, when, or as a result of which, Brayley & Pattison, of Buffalo, New York, came in with a supplemental petition, alleging that they had fear that the petitioning creditor might not prosecute. When the trial term came on of the Circuit Court, it being understood that the bankruptcy issues would immediately thereafter be taken up, another continuance was had of the same cause, and it was understood that the supplemental petitioners would not prosecute. If they did not, and nobody intervened, the six months would have expired during which acts of bankruptcy must be charged, and this company would be exempt from the operation of the law. To avoid this, Messrs. Allen C. Mackey, lately of the firm of Bowen, Hunt & Winslow, of the Accidental Insurance Company of San Francisco, demanding $6,000.

ALLEGED TRESPASS.

An action of trespass was commenced by Luke Gavin against Samuel H. McMahon, or Dearmon. The damages are laid at $15,000, and a capias writ was sued out. The plaintiff charges the defendant with having made a peaceful assault upon him, using an iron instrument, with which he fractured his skull.

REMOVING CASES.

A bill to establish the lost will of Julia Adams, deceased, was filed yesterday. The will was executed, it is alleged, on the 9th day of July, 1870, the deceased departing this life in the following September.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

A Stoker's Head Dropped Into the Basket—Resignations Accepted—A Satire on the President.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners met yesterday afternoon to consider fire matters. President Faloott was in the onair, and Commissioners Sheridan and Davis flanked him on either side.

John Cream, having served the usual probationary term, was made a regular member of the Department.

Daniel H. O Brien, stoker of Engine No. 10, was put on his trial, charged with insubordinate, insolent, and neglectful conduct. The insolence of duty was alleged to be the burning of a heater, and the other charges were comprised in his long list of wrongdoing. After the usual quality of swearing, Mr. Davis moved that he be discharged. Mr. Sheridan did not think the charges were proven. Mr. Talcott on his head off.

Mr. Talcott was appointed a Committee of one to arbitrate on a smashed buggy, damaged $18 worth.

The following resignations were accepted: John Dombey, pipeman of Engine No 17; William S. Hand, driver of No. 1, and John A. Prindergrast, stoker of No. 4.

There was laid before the Board a caricature of an old horse, spavined and Knock-kneed, with the inscription: "A specimen of the horses which Talcott buys under the direction of Rob. Williams," and the following: "Oddsfoot, Req., Ll. D. and pres."

The satire was accepted by the Board.

Incredible Superstition.

From the Springfield (Ill.) Register.

Two or three years ago a very respectable family in this city suffered a crushing blow by the loss of one of its members by death. The bereaved relatives were inconsolable, and while their wounded affections were still open and bleeding afresh by the blow, they were approached by a spiritual medium who offered to put them in communication with the spirit of the deceased. They caught eagerly at this offer, and attended several seances, during which the medium, after a rapping, table-tipping and chair-moving was pronued. In a short time the medium developed more astonishing demonstrations. The *seances* were held in the dark, and then a voice was heard which was declared by the relatives to be that of the spirit. Also, during these dark *seances* the hands of the spirit were felt on the faces and hands of the relatives. The medium rapidly progressed in winning the confidence of the family, and finally declared that the spirit came daily to her house to eat dinner. Even this astonishing statement was eagerly accepted, and now at the hours of morning a good dinner is daily prepared and sent to the home of the medium. Here a table is spread in a closed and darkened room, and when the room is opened again the food has disappeared. We hear that she negroes of Africa leave food for their fetishes to eat, and the cannibals of the Fejee Islands send large supplies to the temples of their idols, but it appears from the above facts, which are vouched for as authenticated, that our boasted civilization is not so much in advance of barbarians as we are fond of supposing.

A Patriarchal Couple.

From the Jackson (Mo) Cashbook.

Mr. James Cheek, Sr., who with his wife lives a few miles west of Millerville, Missouri, on a tributary of Little Whitewater, was born January 11, 1792, near the base of King mountain, Gaston County, North Carolina. His wife was born in 1774, in the same vicinity. In 1794 they were married; that is, 78 years ago, and perhaps are the only living people of whom as much can be said. In 1811 or 1812, they moved to the vicinity of Bowling Green, Kentucky, and there leaving his wife and family under the protection of his newly formed acquaintance, Mr. Cheek enlisted in Jackson's command, and served under him during the war with the Creek Indians, participating in the battles of Talladega, Talladega, Autosee, Emuckfaw, Horse Shoe Bend and others of less note. Being present when the treaty was concluded at Fort Jackson surrendered and delivered his well and honorable discharge at the close of the war he returned to his family at Bowling Green, and shortly after moved to this State and settled near where he and his wife now live. They reared a family of eleven children, all of whom are now living, the youngest, a daughter, being 43 years old.

All have married and have families, except one son, who is a maniac. The ten families have reared one hundred grandchildren; eighty still living. Twenty-three of these grandchildren have married, forming twenty-three new families, and have sixty children. Of these great-grandchildren fifty are living, some of them old enough to marry. This is a prolific family, remarkable for longevity, honesty, frugality and industry.

Mr. Cheek was a farmer and stock-raiser, in which honorable calling he has been followed by all his posterity. It is said Mr. Cheek, when in his prime, used to take his hogs to the swamp to winter them. When he wished to drive he would take his bundle and a change of clothes, and yelling hallelujah-ow-ah-ah-ah-ah-ah in an unearthly tone peculiar to himself, he would start for the swamp, his hogs squealing and frisking in his heels. If other hogs interrupted his, he had but to turn his peculiar yell, which was as effectual in driving them off as the onset of a mastiff would be. In the evening he would select suitable place to camp and throwing himself upon the ground would yell as before, and the hogs would immediately bed for the night, and in cold, frosty, the coldest weather in December, he would spend the night without a blanket. No other man could "call" his hogs, and his yell was sufficient to drive a neighbor's hogs from their accustomed place of feeding.

This statement was made by his son and verified by his neighbors. I visited the family a few days since. The old man is very feeble, and for the last six months has been deaf, blind and unable to use his lower limbs. Up to that time he was spry enough, could walk a mile without inconvenience, and do up the chores at home.

His wife is able to do her work and nurse her husband and insane son.

We live in a country bordering on the swamps inhabited by muskrats, ground-hogs, frogs, mosquitoes, tadpoles and eels, yet I doubt the ability of any other portion of the globe to produce a family that will compare favorably with this one.

ANYBODY BEFORE GRANT.

An Article from Senator Schurz's Paper.

From the St. Louis Westliche Post.

A few of Grant's personal friends are not satisfied with Greeley's nomination. We suspect their reasons and motives of their discontent are based on the opinion that the Cincinnati Convention did not do the very best it could. Granted that it could have given a nomination more consistent with the spirit of the movement, and could have given the Reform measures satisfactory guarantees. Granted, that many objections may be urged against the Cincinnati platform, which shake the faith of the conscientious Reformer.

But we now ask the honest, conscientious reformer to glance at the other side of the picture. There is Grant in the full splendor of his renomination, and behind him stand the bread-and-butter brigade in full force with saintly submissiveness and insatiable appetite. Grant has promised us, in his letter of acceptance, to continue the business of the Government with the same zeal and in the same manner as formerly, and the bread-and-butter brigade responded with enthusiastic applause. Now, is it the duty of conscientious reformer to consider what the reelection of Grant and the continuance of the present policy mean. They mean the application of more oppressive military rule in the South, and not the policy of reconciliation. They mean the continued support of the shameless carpet-bag government in the formerly rebellious States.

They mean a continued instigating of hatred and animosity between the North and South.

They mean acts of nepotism and favoritism which will operate with a still more immoral influence upon the public service. If the people, by the re-election of Grant, show that these are matters of no concern to them.

They mean a new bloom and crop of corruption, not alone in the Custom Houses of New York and New Orleans, but in the whole country.

They mean the resumption and then the carrying through of the San Domingo speculation, which Grant relinquished because he feared that it would damage his chances for re-election.

They mean a continuance of the outlandish foreign policy which has almost succeeded in making the name of the American Republic a by-word and reproach abroad, and has brought the danger of trouble with foreign powers.

They mean further despotic interference of the President in the political affairs of the States, packing party Conventions, and the bribery of the delegates with Government patronage.

They mean greater audacity than ever of military "rings" which have surrounded the President, and have enabled him to use the substance for his own benefit.

They mean that the people's voice shall sanction and whitewash the President's assumption of power.

They mean the continued bondage of the Government bondholders, who do not now even dare to speak for fear of losing their bread and butter.

They mean the complete servility of Congress to the President, the approval of all unlawful acts, the white-washing of all corruption, and an unscrupulous and demoralizing party despotism, such as we have never yet seen, and we have already seen in much more than we have a right to favor.

The re-election of Grant means all this, and indeed, in increased measure, for through the bare fact of this re-election the fear of displeasing the people will prevail, and a close contact be given to the arbitrary rule of the White House.

All these things will as certainly follow the re-election of Grant as thunder follows lightning.

Those are things which the true Reformer should not lose sight of for a moment. While we sympathize with his dissatisfaction with the Cincinnati nominations, and his desire to correct the error in the best way he can, that dissatisfaction and this wish should be kept within due bounds, and we find these limits to be anything but the reelection of Grant. In the name of the country, in the name, the honor and the freedom of the American people, anybody before Grant.

Will County—Liberal Republican Convention.

In pursuance of a call for a State Convention of Liberal Republicans, issued by the Central Committee, to be held at Springfield, June 26, the undersigned invite all Liberal Republicans of the several towns in Will County to meet at the Court House, in the city of Joliet, on Friday, June 21, at o'clock p. m., to select delegates to represent Will County in the State Convention at Springfield, and also to appoint a Central Committee for Will County. All Republicans friendly to the reform movement inaugurated in the late Cincinnati Convention are invited to attend in person, or by letter, addressed to any one of the undersigned.

Henderson Hewk.	George P. Jones,
Robert Phelps,	W. J. Hurd,
H. C Knowlton,	W. H Combs,
H. W. Harwood,	J. C. Olmsted,
Casper Butz,	J. C. Dillon,
J. M. Thompson,	Jacob Smith,
H. D. Strong,	S. W. Mann,
George F. Stewart,	C. B. Carney,
J. Reichert,	C. W. Cook,
	Alonzo Leach.

Uncommon Plagiarism.

The following letter appears in the London *Times* of May 31, under the above heading:

The article in the *Times* of the 29th inst. upon the change of ministry in Spain, refers to the gallant remark of Prince Lincoln, 'not to stop horses while fording the stream.' May I be allowed to point out that the pith of President Lincoln's *mot* has been expressed by a much more ancient and celebrated writer? In the 19th chap., 21st sec. of the Cyropædia. Cyrus, in directing his troops to take up their several stations, says: '*Omen de tou agesas ontes oudeni armaii kairoi tous ippous mi sterizesthai.*' "When the contest is about to begin, there is no longer time for any chariot to unyoke the horses for a charge.'

"Your obedient servant, MILES.

"Ventnor, May 30."

An Escaping Burglar Shot.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 20.—"Doc. Rathm," *alias* Wright, a notorious burglar, whose arrest led to the arrest of Angelo Marre for robbing the safe in the Chief of Police's office, attempted to escape from jail last night by letting himself down with a rope furnished by outside parties As he was descending, he was discovered by Keller Jackson, who fired at him, shooting Rathom through the thigh, causing him to drop to the ground. He was then secured and his wounds dressed.

Cod Liver Oil.

Hazard & Caswell's Cod Liver Oil is the best

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Like Regulars on Dress Parade the Tooth should always be scrupulously clean and free from blemish. Keep them in this condition by the use of SOZODONT, and when they are veterans in the service, they will still be as "good as new."

A Chance to Win $50,000.—On the 27th of June there will be a grand festival, with numerous chances, in public at Omaha, in aid of Mercy Hospital, instituted by the clergymen and best men. Tickets $1 each. Those left for F. and five for $10, will be returned, collect on delivery. Address Police & Gardner, Omaha, Nebraska.

A Whole People's Opinion.—When a series of forty millions accepts and endorses as a STANDARD RESTORATIVE an article that it has had the full-test opportunities of testing during a period of twenty years, who can be so absurdly incredulous as to doubt the excellence of the preparation. PLANTATION BITTERS has passed through the ordeal and is now the most popular proprietary medicine on this continent. It would be difficult to find an adult or either sex in the United States who has not heard between the northeast corner of Maine and the Gulf of Mexico on which does not favor either from personal experience or observation, that this renowned vegetable remedy is the purest tonic and stomachic, and the finest alterative and regulating medicine known and before the world. As a preventive of, and cure for, diseases generated by malaria, and as a bilious alterative, it is admitted to be fully pronounced the FAVORITE HOUSEHOLD TONIC AND ALTERATIVE of the Western Hemisphere.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—JUST OUTSIDE FINE L Mitchell-av, between Lesrin and Ashland-av, at $50.

Ashland-av, lots between Lesrin and Ashland-av, at $50.

Lot, 50x170-40, between Leavitt and Hoyne, at $1,000 cash; at $1,200, between Ashland-av, and Paulina st, at $1,050.

West Jackson-st, west of Campbell-av, 50x200 feet, with a brick stable on Ogden-pl, the whole together for $6,200.

Easy terms on most of above.

J. P. NICHOLS & CO., 91 South Canal-st.

FOR SALE—FINE LARGE LOTS FROM 125 TO 250 feet in depth at extremely low prices on Humboldt-av, 50x170 feet, on the Boulevard, near Division-st, $900; $300 on the Boulevard, near Lake, on North-av, between Leavitt and Oakley-sts, $950. This is a perfect and abstract furnished each customer. If you want a bargain it will pay you to call and investigate this matter. G. E. GRIFFIN, 167 West Randolph-st.

FOR SALE—A DESIRABLE NEW HOUSE, 2 stories and basement, with all modern improvements, worth $7,000, at a sacrifice if taken in next few days; one third cash, balance easy. JOHN H. AVERY, 91 LaSalle-st.

FOR SALE—LOTS INSIDE OF OLD CITY limits; high ground; only $600 and $700. Terms easy, open until 9 o'clock evenings. STONEY, ALLEN & CO., 124 West Washington-st.

FOR SALE—SOUTH SIDE LOTS, 1 MILE from the city, on new Boulevard, now being improved, and between Fifty-first and Sixty-first-sts. Only $25 down, balance in monthly payments of $10 each. Title perfect. Apply to or address J. F. NICHOLS & CO., 35 South Canal-st.

FOR SALE—ATTENTION OF CAPITALISTS and others. Fine property, comprising 80 feet, east front, on Lasalle-st, and 120 feet deep, front on Calhoun place, being adjoining the Union Railroad Depot, now in process of erection, and which will be the most valuable property in the city. Call and see it, or address, for terms, etc., Box 2,237, Chicago Post Office.

FOR SALE—GOOD LOTS ON ALL THE STREETS and between State and Wallace. All on city limits. Perfect titles, warrantee deeds. A very small payment down, 5 years at 6 per cent. ALBERT CRANE, 872 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—BUY A HOME AND SAVE RENT. Lot, 25x125 feet, on Lasalle-av, near Division, with cottage, well and cistern, for $1,500; $300 cash, balance monthly. Must be sold. Apply on premises.

FOR SALE—STATE-ST., 100 FEET, MIDfront near Randolph. Long time on part; fourths cash at 7 per cent. GEDDES & REID, Room 7, No 124 South Clark-st.

FOR SALE—$1,800. $50 CASH, WILL BUY A new cottage and lot, 25x125, to a 16 foot alley, on Thirty-first-st. Balance in 12 monthly payments, with 8 per cent interest. J. S. GOULD, 91 Clark-st.

FOR SALE—WABASH-AV—NEW BRICK house of 11 rooms, No 1319 Wabash-av, near Thirty-fifth-st; immediate possession. SNYDER & LEE, 100 Buildings, northeast corner of Monroe and Lasalle-sts.

FOR SALE—ADAMS ST., 100 OR 200 FEET, northeast corner of Adams and Winchester sts. SNYDER & LEE, 100 Buildings, northeast corner of Monroe and Lasalle-sts.

FOR SALE—PRAIRIE-AV.—3 LOTS, EACH 50 feet front, on corner of Thirty-seventh-st. SNYDER & LEE, No 14 Nixon's Buildings, northeast corner of Monroe and Lasalle-sts.

FOR SALE—A GOOD 2-STORY HOUSE WITH 8 rooms and barn, between Lincoln and Robey-sts on Fulton; very cheap and terms easy. Inquire of owner, S. M. MILLARD, 403 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—VALUABLE RIVER PROPERTY on North Branch. MEAD & COE, 79 West Madison-st.

FOR SALE—LOTS ON WEST SIXTEENTH ST, Western-av., and Doore-st., cheap for cash, if taken soon. Also, on Stone-st., near Archer-av.

FOR SALE—40 FEET ON THE SOUTHEAST corner of Monroe and Fifth-av; very cheap for a few days. GEDDES & REID, Room 7, No 124 South Clark-st.

FOR SALE—EAST FRONT OF BLOCK ON INdiana-av, between Twentieth and Twenty-first, sts. Very cheap. GEDDES & REID, Room 7, No 124 South Clark-st.

FOR SALE—CORNER LAKE AND WELLS-STS, $21,250 to alley, by GEDDES & REID, Room 7, 124 South Clark-st.

FOR SALE—240 FEET ON SOUTH WATER ST., $5.6 per foot, one fourth cash, balance long time, 6 per cent. By GEDDES & REID, Room 7, 124 South Clark-st.

FOR SALE—22x30 FOOT LOT ON MARKET ST, with privilege of 20 feet more next to the corner of Monroe. Apply at 117 Madison-st.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES CORNER TWELFTH-st and Western-av. Apply to D. KREIGH, Union Block.

FOR SALE—LOTS 4 MILES FROM CENTRE city limits, high ground; only $200 and $300. Terms, $10 cash, balance $5 per month. Or will exchange for horses or cattle. Call at office 123 West Washington-st.

FOR SALE—SOUTH SIDE LOTS, 1 MILE from the city, on new Boulevard, now being improved, and between Fifty-first and Sixty-first-sts. Only $25 down, balance in monthly payments of $10 each. Title perfect. J. S. GOULD, 91 Clark-st.

FOR SALE—CHOICE LOT ON TWENTY-fifth-st near Hanover, 50x200. Lake good team down for part. R. G. GOODWILLIE, 133 West Madison-st.

FOR SALE—CHOICE BUSINESS LOT ON DEsplaines-st, 50x200 feet, running to Fulton-st; only $125 per foot. Income this fine chance. R. G. GOODWILLIE, 133 West Madison-st.

FOR SALE—ONLY $750—CHOICE LOT ON Oregon-st, 180 feet west of Western-av. Look for all cash. R. G. GOODWILLIE, 133 West Madison.

FOR SALE—ONLY $1,250—CHOICE LOT ON Van Buren-st, 80 feet west of Western-av. Decide quick. Look for cash bargain. R. G. GOODWILLIE, 133 West Madison-st.

FOR SALE—18 LOTS IN BLOCK 32, SHEF-field's addition, fronting on Halsted-st, at a great bargain if taken this week. GEO. V. BYRD, 58 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—ONLY $400 DOWN SECURES A choice lot on Lincoln-av, between Wrightwood and Harrison-st—$1,400. Cottages and lots, near Archer-av, cars and Thirty-first-st, $1,000 down. Lots near Lake-st, Leavitt-st and Park. R. G. GOODWILLIE, 133 West Madison-st.

FOR SALE—TEN ROOM HOUSE, AND LOT, 24x 170 feet, on Ashland-av, near Lake-st, $4,500 cash; balance monthly. Must be sold. Apply on premises.

FOR SALE—260 FEET KANKAKEE BOULE-vard, Thirty-seventh-av, 600 feet Indiana-av, at Thirty-seventh-st; 900 feet Michigan-av, at Thirty-fifth-st; acres fronting on Boulevard; cheap; terms easy; 2 acres on Thirtieth-st, near car shops; 12 lots near Thirty-seventh-st, at $500. E. B. HOWORTH, 211 Dearborn-st.

FOR SALE—80 FEET, EAST FRONT ON MICHigan-av, between Carhart's and Col. Pierce's residences—$1,500 cash; balance in 2 years, at 8 per cent. P. J. HOLLAND, 108 Harrison-st.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—NEW HOUSE, 9 ROOMS, cellar and furnace, and barn on lot 50x125 ft, in Lake View, 5 minutes from street cars; 10 minutes from the Court House. Also, one lot, one block from Union Park. Apply at Room 57 Exchange Building.

FOR SALE—CENTRAL PARK—BEAUTIFUL lot, 75x200, fronting Central Park, corner of Park-av. SNYDER & LEE, No. 14 Nixon's Building, northeast corner of Monroe and Lasalle-sts.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—LOTS ON EASY TERMS, outside of fire limits:

Clayton-st, between Lincoln and Robey. $700.

Binney-st between Lincoln and Robey. $700.

Allport-st, between Evans and Harding. $600.

Allport-st, between Thirty-first and Clayton, $600.

Quincy-st, between Thirty-first and Wrong. $600.

Arnold-st, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth. $650.

AYRES & ROFF, 341 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—200 FEET ON THE SOUTHEAST corner of Fifth-av. and Jackson-st. Will and must be sold within a few days at a bargain. Capitalists should look at this property. The property is within one block of the great Pacific Hotel, Custom House, and Post Office. Inquire of KIX, & CO., Nos. 129, and 131 Lasalle-st, Boone's Block.

FOR SALE—CLARK-ST, WEST FRONT, NEAR Fullerton-av, 50 feet, $50 per foot; one of the best investments in the burned district. HENRY WEIL, southwest cor. State and Harrison-sts.

FOR SALE—1 8X180 FEET ON INDIANA-AV, between Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth sts.; will be sold in a bargain, and on easy terms. BENJ. G. YOUNG, Room 14, Bryan Block, corner Lasalle and Monroe-sts.

FOR SALE—MICHIGAN STREET—99 FEET front on Michigan, near Kinzie. SNYDER & LEE, No. 14 Nixon Buildings, northeast corner of Monroe and Lasalle-sts.

FOR SALE—10 BUILDING LOTS FRONTING Baxter and Snyder avenues, and Racine road, and on the line of the Chicago, Evanston and Lake Shore Railroad, situated at Lake Ridge; easy payments; title perfect. SNYDER & LEE, No 14 Nixon's Building, northeast corner of Monroe and Lasalle-sts.

FOR SALE—INDIANA-AV, SOUTHEAST CORner Thirty-first-st, 182x170 feet, high ground, three blocks south Park entrance, $11,000. Terms, $4,000 cash, balance at end of 7 years; 7 per cent; only $5 per cent for first two years. Title perfect. J. ANGLAN WARREN, 403 Michigan-av.

FOR SALE—VINCENNES-AV., SOUTHEAST corner Rowen-av 58x125 feet; to alley; price, $3,000. Terms $1,500 cash; balance at end of three years, 8 per cent. Title perfect; a beautiful grove lot in superb location. J. ESAIAS WARREN, 403 Michigan-av.

FOR SALE—FIVE ACRES, JUST SOUTH OF City Limits fronting on South Park boulevard, Vincennes-av, and canal-way (the connecting link between the great Boulevard and Lake Park); magnificent investment for a capitalist who wishes to double his money in a very short time. J. ESAIAS WARREN, 403 Michigan-av.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—FOR LOTS, THE 2 story brick building, and lease, on the northeast corner of Van Buren and Franklin-sts, building now renting for $800 per year. Lots in the North Division taken in exchange. Inquire at 69 Clybourn Place, or 69 Fifth-av.

FOR SALE—AN OFFER IS WANTED FOR 2 lots, in grove, near Lincoln Park; one lot on corner of Stewart-av. and Forty-fifth-st; one lot near Central Park. C. W. DEAN, 56 South Dearborn-st.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

WANTED—NEAR A GOOD-SIZED TOWN IN Illinois or Wisconsin, ten or fifteen acres of ground, with good house, outbuildings, etc. Must have a small sum will be received on first payment, balance on easy terms. Address, with price, terms, etc., Box 483, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

WANTED—A FARM WORTH $20,000, OR AGRM property, for handsome st property and cash in three payments. WOLFE & INGHAM, 61 Dearborn-st.

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TO EXCHANGE—FOR CITY PROPERTY. A fine farm 155 acres, in eastern Iowa, near large town, with stock and crop. BALDWIN DAVIS, 81 South Halsted-st.

TO EXCHANGE — NEW $2,500 RESIDENCE, finding doors etc. Lot taken at first payment, balance monthly. WOLFE & INGHAM, 61 Dearborn-st.

A Chance to Win $50,000.—On the 27th of June there will be a grand festival, with numerous chances, in public at Omaha, in aid of Mercy Hospital, instituted by the clergymen and best men. Tickets $1 each. Those left for F. and five for $10, will be returned, collect on delivery. Address Police & Gardner, Omaha, Nebraska.

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MUSICAL—A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF PIanos, organs and melodeons, constantly on hand. KIMBALL'S, cor. Wabash-av. and Fourteenth-st.

PIANOS AND ORGANS TO RENT—SECOND-hand instruments at bargains, from $100 to $125. Those desiring to purchase during the period of rent, now the most popular property as medicine on this continent. It would be difficult to find an adult or either sex in the United States who has not heard between the northeast corner of Maine and the Gulf of Mex on who does not favor either from personal experience or observation, that this renowned vegetable remedy is the purest tonic and stomachic, and the finest alterative and regulating medicine known and before the world. As a preventive of, and cure for, diseases generated by malaria, and as a bilious alterative, it is admitted to be fully pronounced the FAVORITE HOUSEHOLD TONIC AND ALTERATIVE of the Western Hemisphere.

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FOR SALE—AT NORWOOD PARK—LOTS 60x 125 feet, on Norwood-av, fronting on Park-av. Terms to Norwood and Park residents, $100 cash; balance at convenience. Work upon two new roads, one from Norwood to Jefferson, and the other to Chicago, now completed. Call and examine title deeds. Apply to or address J. F. NICHOLS & CO., 91 South Canal-st.

FOR SALE—LAKE FOREST—SOME FINE RESidences on long time; also choice unimproved property. Call at 174 East Madison-st. S. GALLAGHER.

FOR SALE—BY ENAUEN BROS., 3 NORTH Clark-st.—5 acres in Division-st, Division-st, corner Ca Park, Town line road, being ten minutes walk from depot.

FOR SALE—A GOOD, NEW 1-STORY HOUSE and large lot at Maywood, cheap, and on easy terms. M. V. HOTCHKISS, 22 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—EVANSTON—FINE LOTS IN A beautiful grove, high and healthy, on most favorable terms. CHASE & ADAMS, 31 Bryan Block.

FOR SALE—$1,250—10 ACRES ON MADISON-st, one mile west of Central Park; will sell 3 or 5 acres. T. B. BOYD, 137 West Washington-st.

FOR SALE—100 LOTS, EACH 25x165 FEET, fronting east on Douglas Park, and south on Sixteenth-st. Blocks from Douglas Park Station, 1 block from Ridgeville Boulevard, making very easy access to the centre of the city; these lots will be sold in small parcels to suit purchasers, and title perfect; very easy terms. SNYDER & LEE, 14 Nixon's Building, northeast corner Monroe and Lasalle-sts.

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE LOT OF acre property in city limits and suburbs; very cheap, at National Real Estate Bureau, 1 and 3 Wells' Madison-st, Room 1.

FOR SALE—ENGLEWOOD—CHEAP HOUSES. Thirteen new and complete cottages, with large lots; only one block from Englewood Depot, on three fronts. Each one supplied with water. Terms easy. Call each day between 2 and 4 o'clock, or address P. ENT, MORTON & CO., corner of Michigan av. and Adams st.

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ONE OF THE BEST RESTAURANTS ON West Madison st, for sale very cheap. Inquire of J. KAUFMANN, 28 South Canal-st.

RARE CHANCE—A LONG ESTABLISHED and well-patronized boarding-house in Grand Rapids, Mich., offered for sale. Its wares are sold exclusively to wholesale dealers from all parts of the country. Sales, $25,000 last year; $6,000 will buy machinery and fixtures. Can now be seen in operation. Reasons for selling and full particulars will be given to bona fide inquirers, by addressing P. O. Box 125, Grand Rapids, Mich.

$400 WILL BUY A HALF INTEREST IN A first-class boot and shoe business that will pay that amount per month. 116 East Washington-st, Room 38.

$500 BUYS THE BEST-PAYING SAMPLE room and cigar trade now offered in Chicago. Call at Room 4, 86 West Washington-st.

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PARTNER WANTED—$1,000 WILL BUY ONE-half interest in a first-class restaurant on Wabash-av, worth $3,000. Will bear the strictest investigation. For particulars call on R. P. CLARKE & CO., 176 State-st.

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FOR SALE—A LARGE FRAME BUILDING, and safe for manufacturing purposes, with engine, boiler, and everything in working order; also saws, shafting, etc. Must be sold. Apply 73 State-st.

FOR SALE—DOUBLE BOOKCASE, CHEAP FOR cash. Used 98 LAW. JAS. ALLEN, 178 West Washington-st.

FOR SALE—ABOUT ONE HUNDRED AND fifty (150) tons 28—10-7 rail, as good as new, has received about three months' actual use, with plates and spikes. Also a few (10) 10 ton locomotive in good repair and running order. ANDREWS, HITCHCOCK & CO., Second National Bank Building, Cleveland, O.

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PERSONAL—GEO. A. GIFFORD, FORMERLY of collins, MacCosh & Urban's and Terrell & Co.'s Safes, is wanted soon as possible at office of A. H. GIFFORD, 203 Dearborn, Room 2.

PERSONAL—THE FRIENDS OF MRS. A. A. Wiley, formerly of North Dearborn-st, will find her by addressing Box 127, Chicago, P. O.

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TO RENT—HOUSES.

TO RENT—ON WEST SIDE, NEAR UNION Park, 7 rooms, $15; 8 rooms, $18; 9 rooms, $20; and numerous others; now ready. Apply to W. BLACK, at Brown's Brewery, on Blue Island-av, or 115 Randolph-st.

TO RENT—OR SALE—1 DESIRABLE HOUSES in North Kinzie, South Clinton and Fulton-sts. Apply to L. W. BLACK, at Brown's Brewery, on Blue Island-av, or 115 Randolph-st.

TO RENT—SINGLE OR TOGETHER—2 LARGE, new factory buildings, containing 11 rooms each, 2nd-story elevator for coal; suitable for boarding-houses, 30 and 32 Illinois-st; apply over Penn. WILLIAM HOPKINS, 379 North Water-st.

TO RENT—RESIDENCE FOR PRIVATE FAMILY, No. 739 West Washington-st.

TO RENT—I HAVE 2 HOUSES IN NORTH Evanston, and if in Chicago for from 9 to 10 rooms which I will rent for 1 or two years, at from $20 to $30 per month, or will sell for monthly payments. Will give the best bargain that has been offered to any party in six months. C. E. BROWNE, 84 South Canal-st., Room 12.

TO RENT—STORY HOUSE, 379 Barnside-st, to a responsible tenant at $18 00 per month. Apply at 847 Indiana. MARINER.

TO RENT—FURNISHED COMPLETE FOR housekeeping, a small, self-contained house, for two or three months, situated south of Madison-st, and within 5 minutes' walk of Sherman House and within 10 minutes' walk of Union Depot; to a responsible parties. Address, with reference, P 13, Tribune office.

TO RENT—A WELL FURNISHED HOUSE north of Twenty-second-st or south Side, to a small family, until Oct 1; terms reasonable. WM. BAUM, 1,000 Lake-st.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE OF ELEVEN rooms, on North Side, has gas and water, is on line of horse cars, and within 20 minutes' walk of the river. GRACE & AREL

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Clara G. Sold to a Boston Man for $15,000.

John H., Ida May, Malcolm, Columbia, Lily Snow, and Others, Pass Into New Hands.

The second day's sale of the trotting and thoroughbred stock of Messrs. Gage and Simpson, at Atwood Place, was more numerously attended than the first, but the competition was less active, and the prices realized less remunerative and satisfactory to the gentlemen who have devoted so much time, patience, skill and money in the breeding of first-class horse flesh. A reason for this is found in the fact that the animals to be sold yesterday were nearly all of the highest value, and [the knowledge that heavy prices would have to be paid, had the effect of narrowing down the contest to a few individuals who had the funds and the disposition to invest in expensive stock. In Chicago, where every dollar of available cash is needed to rebuild the city, men are not easily found who are prepared to pay twenty thousand dollars for a horse, no matter, how fast or celebrated or valuable the horse may be; and therefore Mr. Gage was led to depend mainly upon Eastern capital to pay him for the prices which he ought to have. That he did not realize those prices was due, not to the inferior quality of the horses to be sold,—for it is no common thing to see such a splendid collection of animals put up at auction,—but to the lack of competition, buyers thus being able to secure great bargains.

The sale began with the thoroughbred racing stallion Malcolm, he was knocked at $400, and sold for $1,600, to P. Ganael, of Hyde Park. Next came Phœnix Belle, and a foal by Tricotrin—a full sister to Joe Daniels, winner of the Belmont stakes,—dam, Dolly Carter. For the Belle, Major Barker put in a bid of $1,000, on behalf of parties in New York. Parties in Chicago took exceptions to this arrangement, and ran up the bidding to $1,600, at which the mare was struck off to S. T. Webster, of Chicago. Columbia and foal, by Malcolm, was the subject of a spirited rivalry, the start of $600 being increased to $2,050, the price paid by Captain Knight, of Chicago. Waunatta, sister to Columbia, became the property of H. D. Warner, of Chicago, at $325. The blind mare Maggie Mitchell and foal, by Malcolm, brought $600, and Lily Snow, $900. The purchaser of Crystal Lake, E. B Sheldon bid in Wesora for $575, and P. S. Pagin, of Chicago, paid $950 for Emma Spear and foal. The same price was given by Captain Knight for Nan cy Price.

CLARA G.

The great event of the day was the sale of Clara G., the great mare who was brought into prominence last year at Buffalo, where she astonished the world by her performance of 2:20¾, 2:20¾, and 2:16 in the three-minute purse. A thrill of admiration and awe pervaded the crowd of spectators as the magnificent mare was led out. She had never looked so handsome, her blood bay coat fairly glistening with the finish of artistic grooming, and her every movement perfect, as if to say, "I know I'm the only one of you come out to see; now look me over!" For a moment perfect quiet prevailed, as all eyes were centred upon the beautiful animal.

Then the silence was broken by the auction hall of Major Barker, who announced that the mare was for sale to the highest bidder, and then, after waiting for somebody to begin, began himself by saying that she was auctioned by G. Chase, of Dwight, who bid $18,000 for the queen of the Western turf. This was too large a sum to be overmatched by what he would call, and the mare was led away in Chicago, though it was at least $5,000 less than Mr Gage had expected to receive for her. For several minutes the auction labored for another bid, but none came, and the third and last call left the most promising mare in America the property of Mr. Chipman of Boston, a gentleman of leisure, who is engaged in the wholesale harness and horse furnishing business in Boston, with a branch house in Chicago. Ben Chase is the Boston partner in the city. Mr. Chase will doubtless place Clara G. in the hands of skilful trainers, with a view to developing in private the wonderful speed of which she is confidently believed to be capable. We append the following sketch of Clara G., which we clip from the Buffalo Express, furnished by her tutor and trainer, Mr. Joseph Caine Simpson:

"Clara G.—Blood bay mare, 15.3¾ hands, star and off hind foot white; foaled 1862. Bred by Smith Hill, Clinton Township, DeKalb Co., Ill. By a two-year old stallion by her illustrious sire, Pirate, Zilleh (now owned by Robert Bonner), by the Iman horse; second dam, Zuba, by Tantivy (a horse brought to this country by Bushee, in Chicago by Mr Wilder, and sold by him to be French and Messenger). The Miles horse was got by the full brother to Lady Suffolk's dam, Messenger Boy. He was bred by Mr. A. Ducat, of Bridgeport, Vermont, taken to Canada, and sold to Mr. Smith, and then known as Black Hawk Tiger. Bonnie's Norman was imported from France to Montreal; his blood French and thoroughbred. The form of Clara G. is so perfect that it is hard to say where it could be much improved. Her gait in keeping and form is the same, with the same power and elasticity of Dextac. She is stylish at any pace, and, taken altogether, the handsomest mare I have ever driven. Her temper is unexceptionable never "pulls," and only requires to know the desires of her driver, which she will endeavor to fulfill within her power. Her racing history is very short. She was purchased of her breeder, when 3 years old, by J. L. Holmes, of Lafayette, Ind., for $1,000, on account of the proofs of her breeding. He won a 3 year old race with her, the fastest heat being in 2:36. Mr. Holmes sold her to Mr. Wilder, in 1867, for $600, and he to D. A. Gage, Esq., the following year for $2,500. In 1869 she showed a 2:40 gait, and speed under the saddle; but in harness, she did not display anything like the same rate, until the season of 1871. Her improvement was very rapid, all through the last named year. Before going to Buffalo, in July, she trotted a trial, on the track at Atwood Place, three heats in 2:35, 2:34¾, 2:34¾. She won the first three miles in 2:30, 2:26¾, 2:26, and could have trotted something faster—the last half mile of the second and third heats in 1:12¾, on the next day, she won the saddle race in 2:25¾, 2:25,—this being the first time she had been ridden under saddle since 1868. The unaccustomed strain of the saddle race occasioned her being foundered, however, it was a hazardous experiment, requiring a horse to trot three races in as many days; but I am very confident that, had she been in harness, the effect would have been no diminution in her speed. This I was justified in expecting from her trials at Atwood Place, where the improvement in her speed was greater than ever. The latter part of September, she made half a mile in 1:05, and the last quarter in 32 seconds, on different occasions, she made this time, on the track at Atwood Place—which, from being new, and the soil not quite level, is decidedly more slower than a majority of the good mile courses of the country. From the facts in this mare's history, from the perfection of her form, gait and temper, the inference is justly drawn, that she must prove the peer of any of the fast brothers.

THE OTHER SALES.

The next sale of importance, in point of money value, was that of Columbia, a bright bay gelding, recently purchased by Mr. Gage in Boston. This horse has never made a public performance, and, as his trial was not to be made in the race, Price had shown him to a friend privately, for a quiet bet better than 2:20, being a fine-speed, and strikingly handsome and stylish, several good judges had set serious eyes upon the horse. Accordingly the bid was started by an unstinted bid of $6,000, to which $1,000 was added in a twinkling by a well-known Chicago sporting man, who became possessed of the coveted equine gem, for which he paid $7,600. Luke Beasham is the responsible purchaser. John H. is another fine horse, who made only 1:30 time on the Toledo Summer Meeting, and great things are expected of him before the year is over. His sire, Planet, is now in Chicago, and is engaged in the wholesale harness and horse furnishing business in Boston, with a branch house in Chicago. Ben Chase is the Boston partner in the city. Mr. Chase will doubtless place Clara G. in the hands of skilful trainers, with a view to developing in private the wonderful speed of which she is confidently believed to be capable. We append the following sketch of Clara G., which we clip from the Buffalo Express, furnished by her tutor and trainer, Mr. Joseph Caine Simpson:

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